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JOSE MOURINHO

Good afternoon and welcome back.

It has been a busy period for us recently with back-to-back midweek games, so it has been productive for the players, myself and my staff to spend a full week on the training pitch in the lead up to this afternoon's match.

We welcome Manchester City today and with the quality they possess, we are well aware it will be a difficult game. I know all the players have the desire and determination to get a positive result this afternoon and I am sure they will give their all in order to do just that.

It is another important game to keep ourselves in touching distance of fourth spot in the Premier League. It is vital we capitalise on any opportunities that are presented to us so we can continue to push for the top four finish we all desire.

The guys showed those traits in our last outing here when we beat Norwich 2-1. Our reaction was fantastic when Norwich equalised; we kept the ball while taking risks in attack, which enabled us to secure three important points.

We all hope we get the opportunity to play Norwich once again, this time in the FA Cup fifth round. Of course, we need to get past Southampton first, who proved to be difficult and physical opponents in last Saturday's FA Cup game. We are still alive in the competition and we are happy to have one more match playing in front of you with your fantastic support.

"I KNOW ALL THE PLAYERS HAVE THE DESIRE AND DETERMINATION TO GET A POSITIVE RESULT THIS AFTERNOON AND I AM SURE THEY WILL GIVE THEIR ALL IN ORDER TO DO JUST THAT"

At the time of writing the transfer window has not closed, however I am delighted we have exercised the option to convert Giovani Lo Celso's loan from Real Betis to a permanent transfer. He has undergone an incredible evolution since I arrived at the Club and his recent performances made our decision to sign him on a long-term deal an easy one.

I also want to give a warm welcome to Steven Bergwijn who joins us from PSV Eindhoven and I would like to thank Christian Eriksen for his services to the Club.

I hope you enjoy your afternoon with us.

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FIXTURE CHANGES

Three of our matches in the Premier League in March have been selected for TV broadcast. The new dates and kick-off times for these are as follows:

Burnley (a) – remains Saturday 7 March, kick-off now 5.30pm - Sky Sports

Manchester United (h) - now Sunday 15 March, kick-off 4.30pm - Sky Sports

West Ham United (h) - now Friday 20 March, kick-off 8pm* - Sky Sports

**Subject to FA Cup participation.*

FAREWELL CHRISTIAN

Christian Eriksen has departed the Club after agreement was reached with FC Internazionale Milano for the Denmark international's transfer.

He made 305 appearances for us following his move from Ajax in August, 2013, and scored 69 times. We wish Christian well for the future.

SAINTS UP NEXT

Our FA Cup fourth round replay against Southampton here on Wednesday 5 February will kick-off at 7.45pm. The match has been selected for live television coverage by BT Sport. Extra time and penalties will be used on the night if required, with the winners of the tie having been drawn at home to Norwich City in the fifth round.

TICKET OFFICE UPDATE

We can confirm our Ticket Office has now moved permanently to Paxton House, at the North-West corner of the stadium. Previously located on Park Lane, the new Ticket Office can be accessed from the High Road via a walkway adjacent to the entrance of The M.

The new premises incorporate the existing ticket windows, which have been in operation since the opening of our new stadium. All supporters wishing to obtain tickets in person during the relevant sales windows for each individual fixture should visit this location. The Ticket Office telephone number remains the same – 0344 844 0102.

Opening hours are unchanged - Monday – Friday: 9.30am – 5pm; Matchdays: Four hours before kick-off.

GIO TRANSFER CONFIRMED

We announced last week that we have exercised the option to convert the loan of Giovani Lo Celso from Real Betis to a permanent transfer. Gio has signed a contract with the Club until 2025.

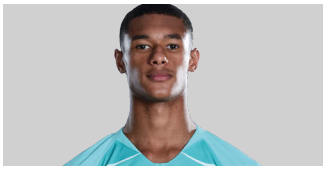
The midfielder has produced impressive performances after establishing himself in the team following a hip injury which restricted his playing time in the early part of his loan at the Club.

A former player at Rosario Central and Paris Saint-Germain, Giovani has appeared in 20 games for us so far in all competitions and registered two goals, including netting the first FA Cup goal at our new stadium against Middlesbrough last month.

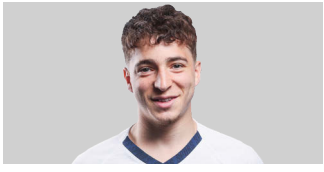
LADS OUT ON LOAN

THREE OF OUR PLAYERS HAVE MOVED OUT ON LOAN OVER THE LAST WEEK

Kyle Walker-Peters has joined Southampton on loan until the end of the season. The 22-year-old full-back is a product of our Academy system and made his first team debut for us on the opening day of the 2017/18 Premier League campaign. He has since gone on to make 24 senior appearances in all competitions in our colours, scoring once.



Goalkeeper Brandon Austin, 21, has joined Danish First Division side Viborg FF on loan until the end of the season, subject to international clearance. The Academy graduate has been named as a substitute for our first team on six occasions this term, in addition to making five appearances for our Under-23s in the Premier League 2.



Finally, Armando Shashoua has moved to Spanish Segunda División B side Atlético Baleares on loan until the end of the season, subject to international clearance. The 19-year-old midfielder has come up through our Academy system and has made 14 appearances in all competitions for our Development Squad this term, scoring five goals.

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STIPE PLETIKOSA
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POSITION: GOALKEEPER

As part of an occasional feature, Andy Greeves takes at a look at former Spurs players who made just a single competitive appearance for us. Today, he explores the career of former Croatian international goalkeeper Stipe Pletikosa, who made his Spurs cameo against Arsenal back in 2010.

Stipe Pletikosa rose through the ranks at his home-town club, Hajduk Split, to establish himself as their first-choice goalkeeper. The 6ft 4in stopper made a total of 141 Croatian league appearances between 1996 and 2003, scoring four goals in the process.

He was a key member of the squad that won the Croatian league title, the Prva HNL, in 2001 as well as the Croatian Cup in 2000 and 2003.

Having represented Croatia at every level between Under-15 and Under-21, Pletikosa made his senior debut for the national side as a substitute for Marijan Mrmic in a 1-0 friendly defeat to Denmark in Split on 10 February, 1999. He was included in the Croatian squad for the 2002 FIFA World Cup and started all three of their matches at the tournament against Ecuador, Italy and Mexico.

In 2003, Pletikosa and his Hajduk teammate Darijo Srna were transferred to Shakhtar Donetsk. Pletikosa was loaned back to his previous club during his four-year stint with the Ukrainian club and featured for Croatia at the 2006 FIFA World Cup while with them.

Following a transfer to Spartak Moscow, the goalkeeper went on to play 63 Russian Premier League matches between 2007 and 2011, while ironically he also played at the Lane against us in a UEFA Cup second round group match on 18 December, 2008, conceding goals to Tom Huddlestone and Luka Modric in the 2-2 draw.

When Pletikosa agreed to join us on a season-long loan from Spartak in August 2010, he joined compatriots Vedran Corluka, Niko Kranjcar and Modric in N17. The Croatian, who was signed to provide competition to fellow goalkeepers Heurelho Gomes and Carlo Cudicini

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at that time, took his place on our bench for the first time for our 1-1 draw at West Bromwich Albion on 11 September, 2010.

Pletikosa's one and only competitive appearance for us came as he started our Football League Cup third round tie against Arsenal at White Hart Lane 10 days later.

Substitute Robbie Keane's second-half equaliser - after Henri Lansbury gave the Gunners the lead in the first period – forced extra-time on the night. A brace of penalties from Samir Nasri and a further strike from Andrey Arshavin in the added period of 30 minutes eventually saw the visitors run out 4-1 winners.

Stipe was an unused substitute in a total of 13 competitive fixtures during the 2010/11 season, including our 2-2 draw at Werder Bremen and our 3-1 victory over Inter Milan in the Champions League group stage. He won two caps during his time as a Spurs player, featuring in friendly matches against Norway and France.

Pletikosa's contract with Spartak Moscow expired in the summer of 2011. He played two friendly matches for Scottish Premiership giants Celtic during that pre-season but wasn't offered a deal at Parkhead. He joined FC Rostov instead, where he won the Russia Cup in the third of his four seasons with the club in 2013/14.

The goalkeeper played his 100th senior match for Croatia on 6 February 2013, keeping a clean sheet in a 4-0 victory over South Korea. Just over a year later, he announced his retirement from international football, having played in three matches at the 2014 FIFA World Cup against Brazil, Cameroon and Mexico. He won a total of 114 caps during his career.

Having departed Rostov at the end of the 2014/15 season, Pletikosa signed a six-month contract with La Liga side Deportivo La Coruna in December 2015. He featured in two league matches while regular number one, Fabricio, was unavailable due to injury.

The 2002 Croatian Footballer of the Year – who also won the Prva HNL Player of the Year award in 2001 and 2002 – hasn't played for a club side since departing Estadio Municipal de Riazor in the summer of 2016.

ALSO FEATURING

Born in nearby Enfield on 31 December, 1984, **Jamie Slabber** joined our youth ranks in the summer of 2001 and put pen-to-paper on a professional contract with us later that year. The forward made his one and only competitive appearance as a 79th-minute substitute in our 3-2 Premier League defeat at home to Liverpool on 16 March, 2003. He made an assist in the match, setting up Teddy Sheringham for what proved to be a consolation goal.

Slabber made four first team appearances for us in pre-season friendlies. Three of those – against Wycombe Wanderers (19 July, 2003), Falkenbergs (13 July, 2004) and Trollhattan (17 July, 2004) – came as a substitute while he started in our 2-0 victory at Stevenage Borough on 16 July 2003. He was also an unused substitute for our 1-0 Premier League defeat at Bolton Wanderers on 24 March, 2003.

Slabber was loaned to Danish side AB and Swindon Town prior to his release from Spurs in the summer of 2005. He went on to have an extensive career in non-league football thereafter, turning out for clubs including Aldershot Town, Grays Athletic and Sutton United, prior to announcing his retirement from playing in February 2018.

ACTION REPLAY

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GOALS

Boufal 87	Son 58

SOUTHAMPTON:
Gunn, Danso (Boufal 71), Stephens, Bednarek, Bertrand, Hojbjerg (c), Ward-Prowse, Armstrong (Djenepo 43), Redmond, Obafemi (Adams 75), Ings

SUBS (NOT USED):
Lewis, Yoshida, Romeu, Smallbone

FORMATION:
4-4-2

SPURS:
Lloris (c), Aurier, Alderweireld, Sanchez, Tanganga, Winks, Gedson (Lamela 56), Lo Celso, Dele (Dier 88), Son, Lucas

SUBS (NOT USED):
Gazzaniga, Foyth, Vertonghen, Ndombele, Sessegnon

FORMATION:
4-2-3-1

ATTENDANCE: 29,282
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SHOTS ON TARGET	4	3
CORNERS	7	2
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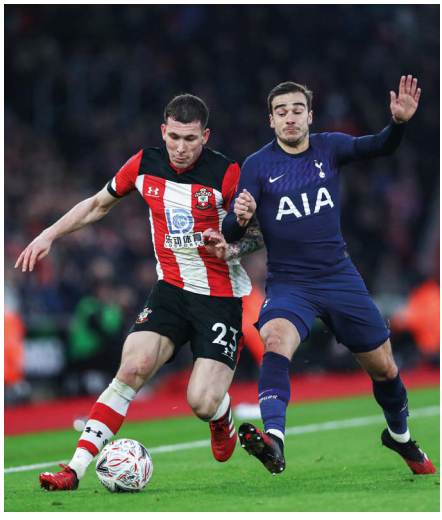

NEW DELE

It has been a tough last 12 months for Dele Alli with injury battles hampering his time on the pitch but the England international is now back fit and in a good place, building momentum and hoping he can deliver his best in a Spurs shirt in 2020.

By Liam Carson

Dele Alli

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Making his debut as a substitute against Manchester United on 8 August, 2015

It was five years ago to the day that Dele Alli first walked through our doors at Hotspur Way but few could have predicted quite how his Spurs career would take off.

He signed for us as an 18-year-old; young but experienced and with talent aplenty – a description that remains just as apt today as it did then.

Joining from hometown club MK Dons, he had made almost a century of appearances for the League One side, who he initially rejoined on loan before making his Spurs debut in August 2015.

Yet, despite his tender age and having never played a Premier League game he quickly got his feet under the table following his arrival in N17. Fast forward five years and the attack-minded midfielder's growth has almost seemed relentless and yet, at just 23-years-old, he still remains one of England's brightest young talents.

However, having made his professional debut almost eight years ago, his youthful age is something that he almost needs to remind people about on a more than regular basis, but that shows how far he has come in just a matter of years. The rate at which he established himself at the height of the world's game in such a short space of time speaks volumes of the quality he holds and what high expectations are held of him.

The highs kept coming through his early years as a Spur, but Dele admits it's not as easy as you would think to look back over what has been a whirlwind five years.

"IT HAS BEEN AN AMAZING FIVE YEARS BUT HOPEFULLY THE NEXT FIVE CAN BE EVEN BETTER"

"It is difficult to think back over previous moments sometimes because you always have that next game or that next challenge. It never stops – certainly not at the moment anyway," he explained.

"I think you are always looking forward and trying not to focus on what has happened in the past, whether it be positive or not, you are always looking for that next challenge and how to accomplish that next goal.

"Like when people ask me my age and I tell them I'm 23, they always seem surprised. I'm not sure if that's because I seem mature or because it probably feels like I have been playing for a while now, but I think it's a good thing. For myself, I obviously just want to keep improving and learning in the game. So, yes, it has been an amazing five years but hopefully the next five can be even better."

It has undoubtedly been an amazing spell here at Spurs for our number 20. From lower league football, Dele came in with his spark, took England's top-flight by the scruff of the

neck and played football with such vision, energy and instinct that on his day he was, by and large, unplayable. Yet, over the past year, that vigour has struggled to find a way through into his game with the England international suffering his first significant injuries of his Spurs career.

Prior to the start of last season, he had missed just one game through injury since signing for us – a quite astounding feat. In the 2018/19 season, however, he missed almost a third of our matches. Over his first three seasons with the Club, he averaged 29 goal involvements in each campaign yet last term, that number dropped by nearly half to 15.

And he admits the struggle with injuries did take a toll on him during that period, both physically and mentally. Sitting on the sidelines became a really tough spell for him and then, when he did get the all clear to return, it seemed another unrelated injury would arise, halting any chance of him building up any steam. Still, as positive as ever, he feels those moments, however frustrating and painful they were, will be vital in his growth and development as both a player and a man.

"It was a difficult year, but it was also good in some ways. I learned a lot in that season," he explained. "Having to deal with different injuries, it can get frustrating, but it was great for me in terms of having that experience to learn from.

"And I'm still young so with every different challenge, there is something that I can improve on if I look at it in the right way. Last season, it just seemed every time I felt I was building up momentum, I would pick up an injury.

"Injuries are something that are obviously par for the course with being a footballer. So, to have my first major muscle injuries, to have to deal with that and overcome those hurdles, it builds you up as not just a person but as a player as well."

This term though, despite a struggle at the start of the season with another injury, Dele has been able to build up some momentum. Of our last 23 games, he has missed just one while, in that time, there has been a resurgence in his productivity with him scoring eight times as well as adding three assists.

"HAVING TO DEAL WITH DIFFERENT INJURIES, IT CAN GET FRUSTRATING, BUT IT WAS GREAT FOR ME IN TERMS OF HAVING THAT EXPERIENCE TO LEARN FROM"

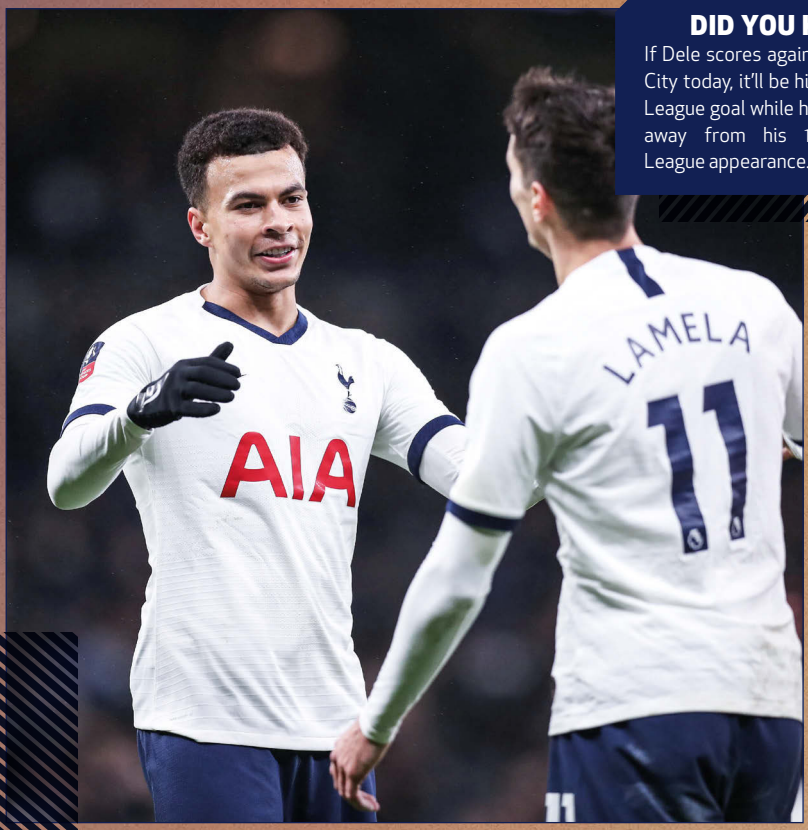
Dele continues his fine form with a goal against Norwich

"With the injuries, I think the problem for me was I was always trying to rush back as quickly as I could," he explained.

"The turnaround started from before Mauricio left. We had spoken about it and how I could give myself the best possible platform to perform and to show how good I can be. It took time but we did a lot of work in the gym and on the training pitch. Then when the manager changed, I was in the position where I felt physically good. Touch wood, I haven't had any problems since, I just needed to find that rhythm.

"I think the issues were both mental and physical. They come together. When you are playing well, things are going well, you're injury free and on the field training everyday, then mentally you are in a good place. But when you start having injuries and little setbacks, mentally, it can take a toll on you. Obviously, you are wanting to prove a lot to yourself, wanting to keep fit and not pick up injuries so it is just difficult. But I think in each of these tough moments, it builds you up each more. It was a difficult time but now I feel in a good place."

His displays over the last few months certainly seems to suggest that Dele is in that 'good place'



DID YOU KNOW:
If Dele scores against Manchester City today, it'll be his 50th Premier League goal while he is two games away from his 150th Premier League appearance.

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ASSISTS
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and is rediscovering his form. However, with the midfielder referring to himself as his own harshest critic, of course he will always point out that there are improvements to be made - something which he is putting all of his focus into.

Yet crucially, it seems lately we are seeing the Dele that we all know. The one that roared into life at White Hart Lane, that sent shockwaves through the football world with that wonder strike against Crystal Palace in 2016, the one that inspired our first win at Stamford Bridge in 28 years in 2018. Moments on the pitch over the past few months have suggested that his bravado has returned. Like when, despite being on his back, he flicked the ball into Heung-Min Son's path at West Ham for Lucas' opener, or the overhead flick and volley away to Manchester United and the half-volley against Brighton. All moments of flair and audacity – the type of skills that almost define Dele.

But it was his second goal in our 3-2 win over Bournemouth back in November that appeared a momentous strike for him. Controlling Toby Alderweireld's searching ping with his chest before beating two players in the box, he then delightfully chipped the ball over the goalkeeper. It was clear to see how much that strike meant to him – and it is more of those moments that he wants.

"I think a lot of my best moments are instinctive. I don't really think about it too much. The natural things like movements in behind the defence and that," he explained. "Of course, you could see the passion when I scored that goal against Bournemouth, how much it meant to me, but I think I just have to focus on continuing to improve and hopefully that'll bring more moments like that.

"I am the biggest critic of myself. When you are not playing well, maybe sometimes you can get too caught up in thinking about what you are doing and that doesn't always help you. Sometimes, the best part of my game is when I am not thinking about it too much."

And with that in mind, when asked what he hopes is on the horizon for him, there was little thinking needed… "Hopefully lots of goals, lots of assists and lots of trophies," he smiled."

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SCENE SETTER

Previewing this afternoon's Premier League meeting with Manchester City, looking at the form guide, previous encounters and a whole host of vital statistics…

DID YOU KNOW?

We have won more than half of our PL games against City to date, having been victorious in 23 of the previous 45 fixtures.

2013
We trailed 1-0 with 15 minutes left at the Lane but hit City with a late blitz thanks to goals from Clint Dempsey, Jermain Defoe and Gareth Bale.
2016
Our last league victory over City came in our last season at the Lane. Aleksander Kolarov put through his own net and Dele Alli doubled our lead before half-time as we won 2-0.
2009
Everyone remembers Crouchy's winner to clinch top four in 2010, but we also beat City 3-0 at the Lane that season with goals from Niko Kranjcar (2) and Jermain Defoe.
2002
One-nil down, 2-1 up at Maine Road thanks to goals from Chris Perry, Simon Davies and Christian Ziege was sent off, City pulled one back, but we held on to win 2-1.
1992
Our first-ever PL clash with City ended in a 1-0 win thanks to a Terry Phelan own goal at Maine Road, a month after the same result in the League Cup there.

PREVIOUS MEETINGS

v Manchester City

This afternoon will be the 46th Premier League clash between the two sides, let's take a look back at five of the best…

WINNING FORMULA

Only against Everton (26) have we won more Premier League matches than we have against Manchester City (23).

CAPITAL CITY

Manchester City have won their last five PL away games in north London – as many as they had in their first 40 such games in the competition.

DEADLY DELE

Dele Alli has had a hand in nine goals in 16 games under Jose Mourinho, with six goals and three assists.

HEAD TO HEAD

TEAM FORM

Spurs:	Manchester City:
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We ended a run of four league games without a win last time out here against Norwich City, as goals from Dele Alli and Heung-Min Son saw us win 2-1. On the flip side, we are unbeaten in our last four games in all competitions after draws with Southampton (FA Cup) and Watford and a cup win over Middlesbrough.

Pep Guardiola's side lost only four games en route to winning last season's Premier League, yet they've already lost five this term. But they are currently in good form having won 11 of their last 13 matches in all competitions prior to Wednesday's League Cup semi-final, a 3-2 defeat at Wolves and 2-2 home draw with Crystal Palace the only blemishes.

PLAYERS WITH THE MOST… (2019/20 SEASON)

Alderweireld 23	Appearances	De Bruyne 23
Kane 11	Goals	Aguero 16
Kane 24	Shots on Target	Jesus 30
Son 07	Assists	De Bruyne 15
Alderweireld 1529	Passes Attempted	Rodrigo 1554
Aurier 59	Tackles Attempted	Fernandinho 37
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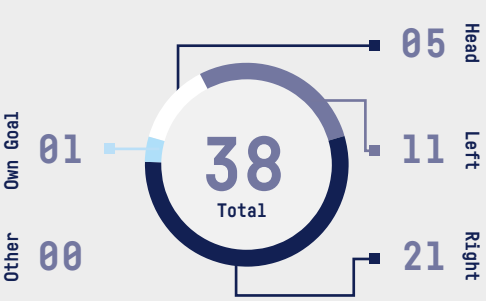

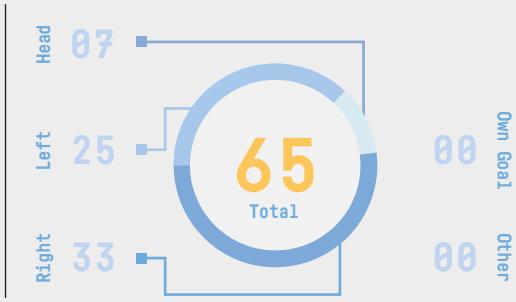

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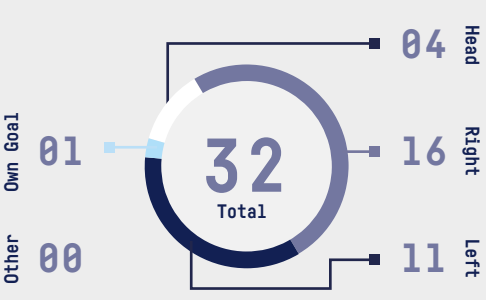

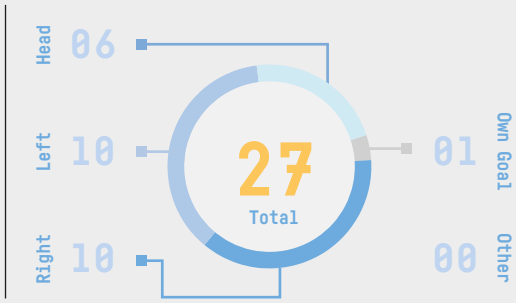

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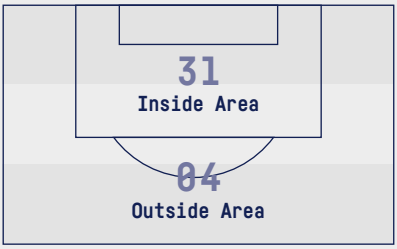
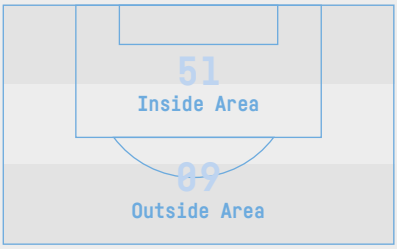


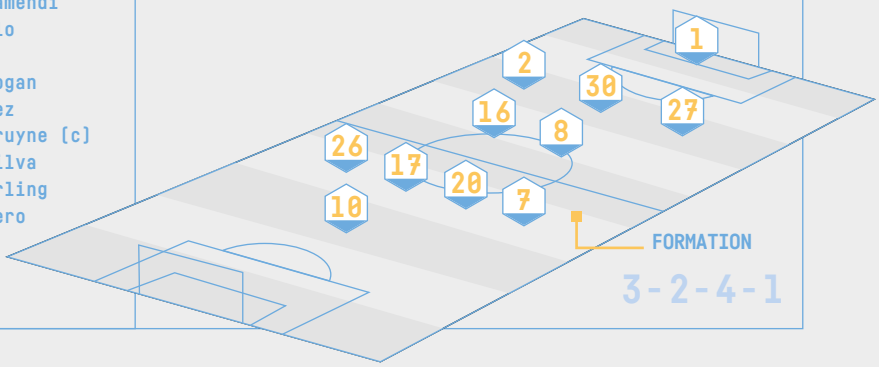
Direct Free-Kick	
01	02
Penalty	
02	03
Total	
38	65



PREVIOUS LINE-UP

(v Man Utd,29.01.20,League Cup)

1 Claudio Bravo
2 Kyle Walker
30 Nicolas Otamendi
27 Joao Cancelo
16 Rodri
8 Ilkay Gundogan
26 Riyad Mahrez
17 Kevin De Bruyne (c)
20 Bernardo Silva
7 Raheem Sterling
10 Sergio Aguero



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1ST

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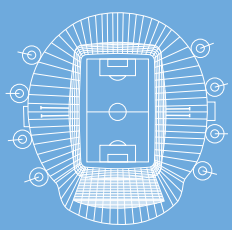
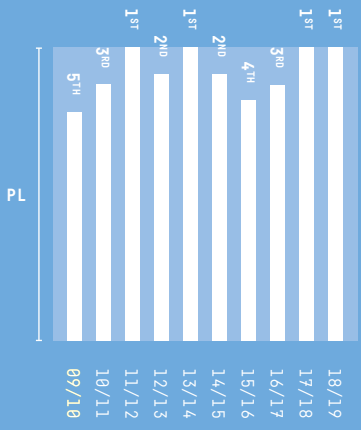


MANAGER: PEP GUARDIOLA
Formerly a highly-decorated player with Barcelona, Guardiola won a clean sweep of honours as a coach at the Nou Camp, including the Champions League twice. He moved to Bayern Munich, achieving domestic dominance with a trio of title victories, before heading to Manchester City in 2016, where he has won the league title for two successive seasons as well as multiple domestic cups.

MANCHESTER CITY'S 10 YEAR RECORD

SEASON	PTS	W	D	L	F	A
2009-10	67	25	8	13	61	44
2010-11	71	19	14	13	75	54
2011-12	89	15	13	18	48	52
2012-13	78	24	11	11	76	53
2013-14	86	18	12	16	67	66
2014-15	79	26	12	8	98	45
2015-16	66	19	9	10	71	41
2016-17	78	23	9	6	80	39
2017-18	100	32	4	2	106	27
2018-19	98	32	2	4	95	23

PREMIER LEAGUE



EDERSON
D.O.B: 17.08.93
POSITION: GOALKEEPER
NUMBER: 31
NATIONALITY: BRAZILIAN

Ederson came to Europe as a 16-year-old to sign for Portuguese giants Benfica, before spending time with Ribeirao and Rio Ave. He then returned to the Estadio da Luz, where he helped his side to a league and cup double in 2016/17. He signed for City that summer and has won the league twice, also impressing with his ball-playing prowess from his own penalty area.

APPEARANCES
21

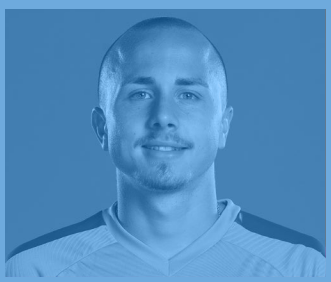
SAVES
42

01

CLAUDIO BRAVO
D.O.B: 13.04.83
POSITION: GOALKEEPER
NATIONALITY: CHILEAN

05

JOHN STONES
D.O.B: 28.05.94
POSITION: DEFENDER
NATIONALITY: ENGLISH



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ANGELINO
D.O.B: 04.01.97
POSITION: DEFENDER
NATIONALITY: SPANISH

22

BENJAMIN MENDY
D.O.B: 17.07.94
POSITION: DEFENDER
NATIONALITY: FRENCH

KYLE WALKER
D.O.B: 28.05.90
POSITION: DEFENDER
NUMBER: 2
NATIONALITY: ENGLISH

The former Spur started his career at hometown club Sheffield United, joining Tottenham in 2009 ahead of a series of loan spells. Eventually established in N17, he made 229 appearances for the club ahead of a move to Manchester City in the summer of 2017. The full-back is also closing in on a half-century of caps for England.

27

JOAO CANCELO
D.O.B: 27.05.94
POSITION: DEFENDER
NATIONALITY: PORTUGUESE

30

NICOLAS OTAMENDI
D.O.B: 12.02.88
POSITION: DEFENDER
NATIONALITY: ARGENTINIAN

TACKLES

16

INTERCEPTIONS

15

14

AYMERIC LAPORTE
D.O.B: 27.05.94
POSITION: DEFENDER
NATIONALITY: FRENCH

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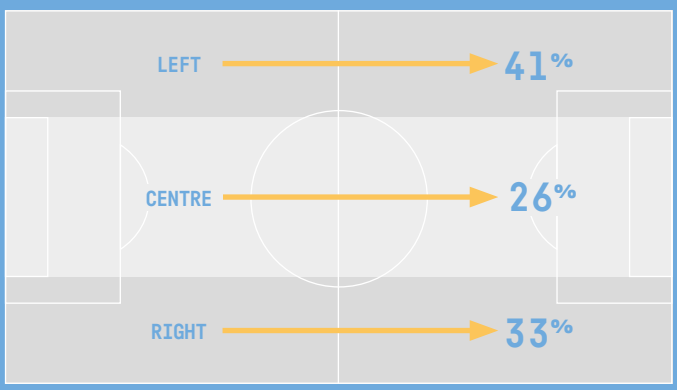
OLEKSANDR ZINCHENKO
D.O.B: 15.12.96
POSITION: DEFENDER
NATIONALITY: UKRAINIAN

ACTION ZONE



STATS FROM 2019/20 SEASON

ONE TO WATCH

07

RAHEEM STERLING
D.O.B: 08.12.94
POSITION: FORWARD
NATIONALITY: ENGLISH

APPS
22

GOALS
11

PASS ACCURACY
82%

A club-record signing when he joined City from Liverpool in 2015, Sterling has gone from strength to strength in a blue shirt, adding goals to his game to become one of the most dangerous attackers in the country. Born in Jamaica, he moved to England at the age of seven and spent time at QPR's Academy before joining Liverpool in 2010. Two years later he made his first-team debut, and in 2013/14 he helped the Reds to a second-place league finish. Since joining City he's won the league twice, along with three league cups and two FA Cups, while his goal tally stands at 89 from 223 appearances. On the international stage, he made his England debut back in 2012 and has established himself as a regular, with 56 caps to his name to date. He also helped England reach the World Cup semi-finals back in 2018.

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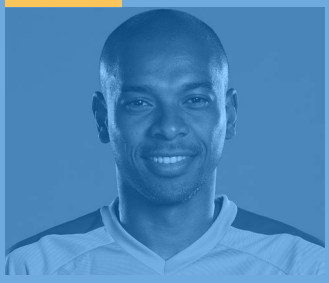


25

FERNANDINHO
D.O.B: 04.05.85
POSITION: MIDFIELDER
NATIONALITY: BRAZILIAN

08

ILKAY GUNDOGAN
D.O.B: 24.10.90
POSITION: MIDFIELDER
NATIONALITY: GERMAN

KEVIN DE BRUYNE
D.O.B: 28.06.91
POSITION: MIDFIELDER
NUMBER: 17
NATIONALITY: BELGIAN

The former Chelsea man has been a revelation since arriving at the Etihad in the summer of 2015. Following spells with Genk, Chelsea and Werder Bremen (loan), he signed for Wolfsburg, winning two player of the season awards in 2014/15. At City he's won the league twice, and developed a reputation for creating goals – he has 15 assists to date this term.

16

RODRIGO
D.O.B: 23.06.96
POSITION: MIDFIELDER
NATIONALITY: SPANISH

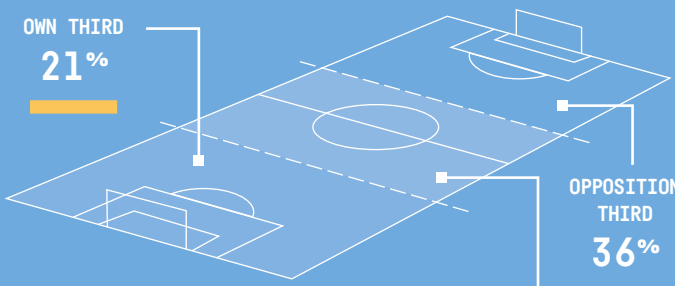
20

BERNARDO SILVA
D.O.B: 10.08.94
POSITION: MIDFIELDER
NATIONALITY: PORTUGUESE

GOALS
07

ASSISTS
15

TEAM STATS



PASSING ACCURACY
89%

GOALS SCORED
65

AVG. POSSESION
61%

GOAL TIME

	SCORED	CONCEDED
0-15	08	03
16-30	12	08
31-45	10	03
46-60	11	04
61-75	09	01
76-90	15	08

STATS FROM 2019/20 SEASON

SERGIO AGUERO
D.O.B: 02.06.88
POSITION: FORWARD
NUMBER: 10
NATIONALITY: ARGENTINIAN

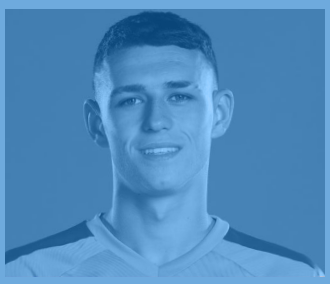
City's record signing when he joined the club in 2011, Aguero has since won a clean sweep of domestic honours, including four league titles. An Argentina international with 97 caps , he recently broke the Premier League hat-tricks record, his treble against Aston Villa putting him on 12 – one ahead of Alan Shearer.

21

DAVID SILVA
D.O.B: 08.01.86
POSITION: MIDFIELDER
NATIONALITY: SPANISH

26

RIYAD MAHREZ
D.O.B: 21.02.91
POSITION: MIDFIELDER
NATIONALITY: ALGERIAN



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PHIL FODEN
D.O.B: 28.05.00
POSITION: MIDFIELDER
NATIONALITY: ENGLISH

09

GABRIEL JESUS
D.O.B: 03.04.97
POSITION: FORWARD
NATIONALITY: BRAZILIAN

GOALS

16

ASSISTS

03

TRUE COLOURS

We all have our favourites when it comes to past Spurs kits and, sometimes, they can evoke memories of specific games, moments and the players who wore them. Continuing our series for the 2019/20 season, Billy Shaw chats to our players – past and present – to find out what comes into their minds when they look back at a selection of our shirts from seasons gone by. Today, captain Hugo Lloris looks back on some of our former goalkeeping apparel…

SPURS THIRD GOALKEEPER KIT, 2012/13

"I will say this makes me think of my first game with Spurs against Lazio," smiled Hugo, immediately turning his attention back to his debut as he was reminded of our all-yellow third-choice goalkeeper kit for 2012/13.

"It was a good memory, my debut at White Hart Lane. It was in the Europa League and we drew 0-0. Of course, it was my first appearance so it's something special."

Hugo arrived from Lyon at the end of August, 2012, but had to wait until the Lazio game on 20 September for his maiden outing in our colours, with veteran stopper Brad Friedel still in the midst of his record-breaking run of consecutive Premier League starts.

And the Frenchman enjoyed a clean sheet to mark the occasion as we began our Europa League campaign with a share of the spoils.

His shirt that night featured the logo of our cup shirt sponsor Investec emblazoned across the front, as opposed to the Aurasma branding which featured in the league.

SPURS HOME GOALKEEPER KIT, 2015/16

Our primary goalkeeper kit for the 2015/16 campaign was in a dark shade of green, with thick white stripes on the reverse of the sleeves.

Reminding himself of the shirt, Hugo said in a quiet, considered tone: "This one is from my fourth season at the Club…I liked it.

"It was 2015 when we used it. I remember I played with the Under-21s wearing this kit in the first game of the season.

"I'd had a wrist injury during the summer and when I came back, we had the first Premier League game at Manchester United where I was on the bench. We lost 1-0.

"Then two days later, on the Monday, I played the first game for the Under-21s. That was in this shirt.

"After this we played Stoke at home in the Premier League and drew 2-2."

Indeed, Hugo's appearance for our Under-21 side came in a 4-1 victory over Everton at Hotspur Way on 10 August, 2015, as he built up his fitness following his aforementioned injury.

This kit, used throughout the season in question, actually made its debut at the end of the previous campaign as we used our new strip for the last home game of 2014/15, a 2-0 victory against Hull City at White Hart Lane.

SPURS HOME GOALKEEPER KIT, 2012/13

"My memory of this one is not about a game, it's about my signature for the Club!" smiled Hugo, looking at a photograph of our 2012/13 home goalkeeper strip.

"I still remember taking a picture at the old training ground with this kit on the day of my arrival. Obviously everything was very different from now!"

A light shade of blue with several large navy patches around the sleeves and the sides of the body, this was the first goalkeeper kit produced for us by Under Armour.

Hugo didn't actually wear it on the pitch until his fifth game for us, a 2-1 loss to Norwich City at Carrow Road in the League Cup in October, 2012, having alternated between our yellow third goalkeeper kit featured elsewhere on these pages and our green away goalkeeper strip in the intervening time.

As the match against the Canaries was in the cup, the garment again featured the logo of cup shirt sponsor Investec on the front.

"The interesting thing is, I was number 25 with this kit," smiled our captain. "Brad Friedel was still at the Club, Carlo Cudicini and Heurelho Gomes too."

Our lesser-spotted third-choice goalkeeper strip from last term was only ever used twice on the pitch – and one of those was in the Club's biggest game for a generation!

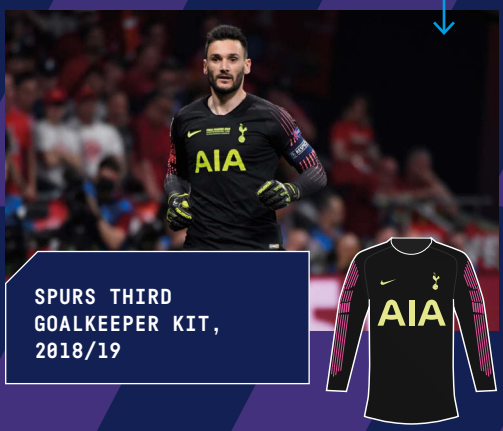
"Of course, the Champions League Final," said Hugo. "Still, you always expect more in a game like that. You don't want to lose, you are determined to win."

An all-black outfit, the shirt featured dynamic pink pinstripes running down the outside of the sleeves, with fluorescent green detailing on the reverse of the collar.

The logos of sponsor AIA, manufacturer Nike and the Club's famous Cockerel motif also appeared in the same bold shade of green, along with Hugo's name and number on the back.

Clearly this was an unlucky kit – the only other time it was used was when Manchester City visited us for a Premier League game at Wembley in October, 2018, and we slipped to a 1-0 defeat.

"I've got one of these at home still – I always keep one of every kit that I've had," added Hugo.



SPURS THIRD GOALKEEPER KIT, 2018/19

ACTION REPLAY

PREMIER LEAGUE
TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR STADIUM
22.01.20

TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR	2-1	

GOALS

Dele 38, Son 79

Pukki 70 (pen)

SPURS:
Lloris (c), Aurier, Alderweireld, Vertonghen (Gedson 75), Sessegnon, Winks (Dier 56), Lo Celso, Lamela (Eriksen 62), Dele, Son, Lucas

SUBS (NOT USED):
Gazzaniga, Tanganga, Sanchez, Ndombele

FORMATION:
4-2-3-1

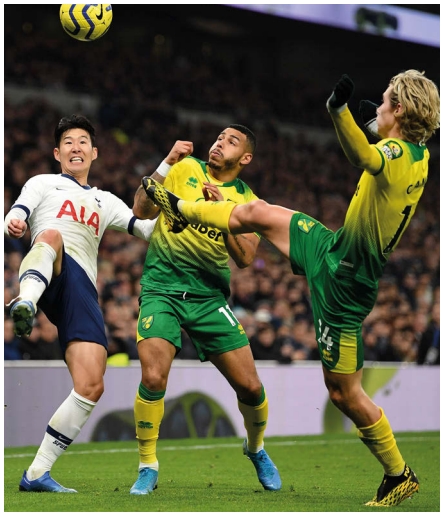
NORWICH:
Krul, Aarons, Hanley (c), Zimmermann, Byram, Tettey (Hernandez 82), Rupp (Drmic 86), McLean (Stiepermann 90+3), Cantwell, Duda, Pukki

SUBS (NOT USED):
McGovern, Lewis, Trybull, Amadou

FORMATION:
4-1-3-2

ATTENDANCE: 58,182
REFEREE: CHRIS KAVANAGH

	POSSESSION	SHOTS	SHOTS ON TARGET	CORNERS	FOULS
THFC =	51%	14	3	7	12
NCFC =	49%	12	2	3	7



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GREAVSIE FILM SET FOR RELEASE

Our all-time record goalscorer Jimmy Greaves, arguably the greatest striker to grace the game, is the subject of a new film released ahead of his 80th birthday later this month.

'Greavsie', the latest in the acclaimed BT Sport Films series, will premiere on BT Sport 2 on Wednesday 18 February at 10.30pm, with additional broadcasts over the following week.

Born in East Ham on 20 February, 1940, Jimmy was a goalscoring phenomenon from his early days. He signed professional forms at Chelsea aged 17 in 1957 and scored on his debut against us at White Hart Lane in August that year. A star was born.

Jimmy scored 132 goals in 169 appearances for the Blues before a transfer to Italy and AC Milan in 1960. His stay in Serie A was brief and after nine goals in 14 appearances, Bill Nicholson brought him back to England, joining our Double-winning squad for a famous £99,999 fee in December, 1961.

He hit a hat-trick on his debut against Blackpool and went on to score 266 goals for us in 379 appearances in all competitions. He scored in the FA Cup Final as we defended the trophy in 1962, twice in the Cup Winners' Cup Final against Atletico Madrid, when we became the first British team to triumph in Europe in 1963, and lifted the FA Cup again in 1967.

Jimmy eventually moved to West Ham in 1970 with the late, great Martin Peters moving to Spurs as part of the deal. Jimmy is 58 goals clear of his early strike partner Bobby Smith (208) in our all-time list with Harry Kane already third on 181.

BUT THAT'S ONLY HALF THE STORY...

Jimmy also scored 44 goals in 57 games for England. In 1965, the year before England's home World Cup, he contracted hepatitis, an illness that took him out of the game for three months. He recovered to make the England squad and played in the first three games of the tournament, but injury then ruled him out of the quarter-final. Geoff Hurst took over – and the rest is history.

Jimmy retired at the end of the 1970/71 season and, lost without football, spent much of the 1970s battling alcoholism. But having got himself sober, he got a newspaper column with The Sun and wrote a book with friend Norman Giller called 'This One's on Me'. His searingly honest documentary 'Just For Today', based on 'This One's On Me', propelled him back into the public spotlight with a wave of support.

After spells on ATV in the Midlands and on the panel for the 1982 World Cup, ITV executives paired Jimmy up with former Liverpool footballer Ian St John – Saint and Greavsie was born. It was a colossal hit, awards were won and Greavsie was a major public figure again.

Sadly, Jimmy suffered a severe stroke in 2015. He survived, but is now wheelchair-bound.

'Greavsie' features rarely-seen archive and interviews with Harry Redknapp, Sir Geoff Hurst, Ian St John, Denis Law, George Cohen, Cliff Jones, Pat Jennings, Gary Lineker, Glenn Hoddle, Barry Davies, John Sillett, Alan Mullery, Ron Harris, Steve Perryman, Jimmy Tarbuck, Rio Ferdinand, Jimmy's family and more, and stands as a fitting tribute to one of the game's true superstars.

Steven Bergwijn

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EXCLUSIVE INTERVIEW WITH OUR NEW SIGNING STEVEN BERGWIJN, THE DUTCH INTERNATIONAL WHO PUT PEN TO PAPER THIS WEEK AND CAN'T WAIT TO GET GOING AT HIS NEW CLUB

STEVEN BERGWIJN

BORN: Amsterdam, Netherlands, 08.10.97
CAREER: ASC Waterwijk; Ajax Academy 2005; PSV Eindhoven July, 2011, professional July, 2014; Spurs January, 2020

SENIOR DEBUT:
29.10.14 v Almere City (A) (FAC)

LEAGUE DEBUT:
10.05.15 v Heracles Almelo (H)

HONOURS: Netherlands Full 9 caps, Under-21 10 caps, Under-20 4 caps, Under-19 16 caps, Under-18 1 cap, Under-17 15 caps; Dutch League Champions 2015, 2016, 2018; Johan Cruyff Shield winner 2015, 2016.
Position: Forward

	LEAGUE		FAC		EURO		OTHER	
SEASON	APP	GLS	APP	GLS	APP	GLS	APP	GLS
2014/15	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
2015/16	5	0	2	0	1	0	0	0
2016/17	25	2	2	0	6	0	0	0
2017/18	32	8	2	0	2	0	0	0
2018/19	33	14	0	0	7	1	1	0
2019/20	16	5	2	0	10	1	1	0
PSV	112	29	9	0	26	2	2	0
TOTAL	112	29	9	0	26	2	2	0

OTHER - JOHAN CRUYFF SHIELD

Steven Bergwijn didn't need a moment to think about it.

Asked for a message for our fans, the Dutch international looked down the camera and told us: "It's an honour for me to be here, a dream to play in the Premier League and I will give whatever I have, whatever I can bring, I will give it all for the Club and for this team."

We announced the signing of the 22-year-old from Eredivisie side PSV Eindhoven on Wednesday, with the player signing a contract with the Club that will run until 2025 and will wear the number 23 shirt. The Netherlands international made his first team debut for PSV at the age of 17 and went on to establish himself as a regular in the team during the 2016/17 season where he made 33 appearances.

The versatile forward has been a member of three Eredivisie title-winning squads at Philips Stadion, making 149 appearances in total and scoring 31 goals, including a career best 15 last season. So far this campaign he has registered six goals in 29 appearances. Having made his senior international debut in October 2018, the 22-year-old has collected nine international caps for the Netherlands to date.

Asked about his first impressions of us last season, he smiled: "First of all, I loved to see that you beat Ajax (in the Champions League semi-final)! This a big club that plays good football and that's what I like.

"It's an amazing move for me, an amazing club," he continued. "Just look around the training ground, it's amazing. It's an honour to be here. I just spoke to the manager as well. When I was a young boy I looked up to a coach like Jose Mourinho, now I play for him."

Steven's family joined him at Hotspur Way on Wednesday, his father Steven, mother Bianca and brother Alejandro and the player admits that family is big for him. "Without them, I'm not here," he said.

Go back to 2011 and he made the switch from Ajax to PSV – Amsterdam to Eindhoven – about 80 miles south through Holland on the A2.

"I was 13 when I moved to PSV," he recalled. "For four years, my father drove me to PSV. We woke up at six o'clock in the morning, drove one hour to Eindhoven, then back to school until three or four o'clock, every day. When I was training, my father would sleep in the car, all that for three or four years. I know what my family have done for me and I'm happy that I can give this back."

As for his aims for the rest of the season, Steven added: "I look from day to day. I want to be a good player here, score goals, give assists. I want to win the Champions League. I watched last season, the team went so far, and I hope this season also. You have to believe in yourself. I know what I can bring to this club and to this team, that's important. I will do what I can, and I know what I can do."

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PREMIER LEAGUE TOP FIVES

GOALS

1	VARDY	17
2	AGUERO	16
3	AUBAMEYANG	14
4	INGS	14
5	RASHFORD	14

ASSISTS

1	DE BRUYNE	15
2	ALEXANDER-A...	10
3	BUENDIA	7
4	DAVID SILVA	7
5	MAHREZ	7

SHOTS ON TARGET

1	MOHAMED SA...	34
2	RASHFORD	34
3	ABRAHAM	32
4	VARDY	32
5	JIMENEZ	31

MINUTES PER GOAL

1	AGÜERO	69
2	VARDY	114
3	INGS	118
4	GABRIEL JESUS	132
5	RASHFORD	134

% OF GOALS INVOLVED IN

1	PUKKI	58
2	RASHFORD	50
3	JIMENEZ	49
4	INGS	48
5	AUBAMEYANG	47

MINUTES PER ASSIST

1	DE BRUYNE	126
2	DAVID SILVA	168
3	MAHREZ	170
4	ALEXANDER-A...	202
5	BARNES	219

FOULS

1	WESLEY	43
2	CAPOUE	41
3	WARD-PROWSE	39
4	HØJBJERG	38
5	XHAKA	38

MINUTES PER GOAL CONCEDED

1	GUNN	36
2	JIMÉNEZ	40
3	KRUL	50
4	HEATON	51
5	POPE	57

PREMIER LEAGUE SPOTLIGHT

Southampton have won 65% of their Premier League points this season away from home (20/31) – in the history of the competition, only Crystal Palace in 1997-98 (67%) have won a higher share on the road over a full season.

PREMIER LEAGUE SPOTLIGHT

Aymeric Laporte has ended on the winning side in 42 of his 49 Premier League appearances – the record for wins in the first 50 games for any player is 42, shared by Didier Drogba, Arjen Robben and Ederson.

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IN DEVELOPMENT

MUKENDI MARKS RETURN WITH FRIENDLY GOAL

Forward Jeremie Mukendi marked his return to action after over a year out injured with a goal as our Development Squad beat Chinese League One side Beijing Renhe 3-0 in a behind-closed-doors friendly at Hotspur Way last week (Tuesday 21 January).

The 19-year-old has been on a long road to recovery after suffering a serious knee injury in an Under-18s game at Leicester on 1 December, 2018. But it took him just five minutes to get on the scoresheet in his comeback match, latching onto Elliot Thorpe's through ball and firing home as we provided Beijing Renhe with the opposition for the final match of their pre-season trip to England. Relegated from the Chinese Super League last year, they begin their 2020 League One campaign at the end of February.

Kion Etete and Rayan Clarke added their names to the scoresheet in the last few minutes to complete a useful afternoon's work.

"Honestly, it feels amazing to be back," smiled Jeremie. "I've been out for so long and all I wanted to do was to get back and do what I love doing. I want to thank all the staff, the medical team and the players. Every day when I've been coming in, they've kept my morale and my energy levels up.

"Although I haven't been able to play, there are other areas I've been able to learn from, watching a lot of players, especially from the first team, to try to copy them and see what I can implement into my game. It's literally just being like a sponge, soaking up all the information around me.

"It's been a long time with lots of ups and downs on the journey, but overall I'm happy to come back, score my first goal in my first game and now I just want to keep pushing on and almost try to get back the time I've lost."

Playing as the central striker, Mukendi, Thorpe and J'Neil Bennett all went close to extending our lead following the former's early opener as we controlled the first half.

Renhe made it tough for us after the break and goalkeeper Josh Oluwayemi and his replacement Kacper Kurylowicz had to make vital interventions. Renhe almost equalised from a late corner but we found a second goal in the 89th minute when Bennett crossed for Etete to plant home a stooping header.

And there was a touch of fortune about our third as Thorpe cut back for Phoenix Patterson on the edge of the box and his shot deflected in off the outstretched leg of Clarke in the second minute of added time.

Spurs: Oluwayemi (Kurylowicz 79), Statham, Okedina, Hinds (Skinner 71), Dinzeyi, Lyons-Foster, Bennett, Thorpe, Mukendi (Etete 68), Patterson, R Clarke.

Jubril Okedina clips a ball into the Beijing area

Jeremie Mukendi on his return to action

PLAYER STATS

	PL2		EFLT	
	APP	G	APP	G
Brandon Austin	5	0	0	0
Enock Asante	0	0	1	0
J'Neil Bennett	1	0	1	0
Luis Binks	8	1	2	0
Jamie Bowden	7	3	1	0
Rayan Clarke	6	0	1	0
Jonathan De Bie	4	0	1	0
Jon Dinzeyi	5	0	0	0
Kion Etete	2	0	1	0
TJ Eyoma	13	0	3	0
Malachi Fagan-Walcott	5	0	1	0
Tariq Hinds	15	0	2	0
Brooklyn Lyons-Foster	11	0	2	0
Paris Maghoma	11	1	0	0
Dilan Markanday	14	2	2	0
Tashan Oakley-Boothe	13	1	3	1
Jubril Okedina	10	0	2	0
Josh Oluwayemi	3	0	0	0
Troy Parrott	1	2	0	0
Phoneix Patterson	11	1	3	0
Maurizio Pochettino	6	0	1	0
Rodel Richards	12	3	3	0
Armando Shashoua	11	4	3	1
Kazaiah Sterling	1	2	0	0
Japhet Tanganga	2	0	0	0
Elliott Thorpe	2	1	0	0
Shilow Tracey	12	1	3	0
Harvey White	10	3	3	0
Alfie Whiteman	3	0	2	0

EFLT - EFL Trophy
stats correct up to and including 13.01.20

FIXTURES & RESULTS

DATE	H/A	OPPOSITION	RES
AUGUST			
SAT 10	A	LIVERPOOL	4-0
FRI 16	H*	MANCHESTER CITY	3-1
FRI 23	H^	DERBY COUNTY	1-2
FRI 30	A	CHELSEA	2-2
SEPTEMBER			
TUE 3	A	IPSWICH TOWN (EFLT)	1-2
FRI 13	H^	SOUTHAMPTON	2-2
MON 23	A	BLACKBURN ROVERS	0-4
FRI 27	A	BRIGHTON & HA	1-4
OCTOBER			
TUE 8	A	COLCHESTER (EFLT) P(6-5)	1-1
FRI 18	H	LEICESTER CITY	0-2
SAT 26	A	WOLVERHAMPTON W	2-1
NOVEMBER			
FRI 1	H	ARSENAL	1-3
TUE 12	A	GILLINGHAM (EFLT)	0-2
FRI 22	A	EVERTON	3-1
DECEMBER			
FRI 6	H^	LIVERPOOL	4-0
MON 16	A	MANCHESTER CITY	0-2
JANUARY			
MON 6	H	CHELSEA	0-1
MON 13	A	DERBY COUNTY	2-2
FEBRUARY			
MON 3	H	BRIGHTON & HA	-
FRI 14	A	LEICESTER CITY	-
MARCH			
MON 2	H	WOLVERHAMPTON W	-
FRI 13	A	ARSENAL	-
APRIL			
SAT 4	H*	EVERTON	-
MON 20	A	SOUTHAMPTON	-
MAY			
FRI 1	H*	BLACKBURN ROVERS	-

All home fixtures to be played at Lamex Stadium unless stated.

* - Tottenham Hotspur Stadium
^ - Hotspur Way
P - Match went to penalties
EFLT - EFL Trophy

TABLE

TEAM	PLD	W	D	L	GD	PTS
CHELSEA	14	8	6	0	+12	30
LEICESTER	15	8	4	3	+12	28
DERBY COUNTY	15	7	6	2	+7	27
ARSENAL	15	6	7	2	+6	25
BRIGHTON	15	7	1	7	+5	22
LIVERPOOL	15	5	5	5	-4	20
EVERTON	14	4	6	4	+2	18
TOTTENHAM	15	5	3	7	-2	18
BLACKBURN	15	5	2	8	-1	17
MANCHESTER CITY	15	4	3	8	-3	15
WOLVES	15	2	5	8	-11	11
SOUTHAMPTON	15	3	2	10	-23	11

THE EX FILES

Profiling former Academy players who made the grade as a pro after leaving our youth set-up…

LEE ANGOL

Lee Angol joined our Academy in the summer of 2010 as an attacking midfielder and scored once in 11 appearances for our Under-18s in his first season.

He was used more as a forward in his second year and featured 15 times for our youth team, scoring three goals while he also made one substitute appearance in the NextGen Series in our 4-1 defeat of PSV.

The Carshalton-born player left us in May, 2012, and was signed by Wycombe Wanderers two months later, making his senior debut as an extra-time substitute in a League Cup tie with Watford on 11 August. A league debut followed 10 days later, coming off the bench against Gillingham.

Loan spells followed with Hendon, Maidenhead United and Boreham Wood before he joined Luton Town in July, 2014, immediately being sent on loan back to Boreham Wood. He finished as top scorer in the Conference South with 25 goals and was subsequently signed by Peterborough United in July, 2015.

He scored 12 goals in 55 appearances during two years at Posh, netting twice on his debut against Oldham, while a successful loan spell at Lincoln City at the end of the 2016/17 season saw him score six times and help them secure promotion back to the Football League.

Further moves followed to Mansfield Town (2017/18) and Shrewsbury Town (2018/19). Last July, he moved to Leyton Orient, making his debut at home to Cheltenham on 3 August and has since netted five times in 21 goals for the O's.

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SPURS WOMEN

The players celebrate Gemma Davision's first goal for Spurs

BARNSLEY BLITZED AS WE PROGRESS IN CUP

Spurs Women will face Coventry United in the fifth round of the Women's FA Cup after a comfortable 5-0 victory over Barnsley at the Hive last Sunday.

In what was our first-ever game in the competition under our present guise, a brace from Rianna Dean and a wonderful free-kick from Siri Worm put us in control at the break. A second-half strike from Gemma Davison – her first for the Club – and a first senior goal for Elisha Sulola put the icing on the cake and made sure that we progressed to the next round.

Karen Hills and Juan Amoros made seven chances to the side that lost 3-0 to Manchester United two weeks ago, introducing Worm, Lucia Leon, Jenna Schillaci, Chloe Peplow, Coral-Jade Haines, Rosella Ayane and Kit Graham to the starting XI.

We made a strong start to the match and very nearly took the lead within the opening five minutes – a speculative long-range strike from Peplow left Bethan Davies scrambling across her goal in order to parry it away to safety.

The resilience of Barnsley – an FA Women's National League Division One North side - didn't last much longer, though. Another shot from distance, this time from Graham, caused Davies more problems and Dean was there to follow up on the save to tap the ball into an empty net in the 20th minute.

Five minutes later, our advantage was doubled. Chloe Turner hauled down Ayane just outside the penalty area and Worm curled the free-kick into the top corner to give us a two-goal cushion.

Dean then got her second goal and our third of the afternoon when Ayane was tripped in the box in the 27th minute. The 21-year-old made no mistake from the resulting penalty, driving her effort down the middle and into the net to make it 3-0.

With the team clearly brimming with confidence, Davison decided to let fly from 25 yards and her brilliant strike deceived Davies and extended our lead to four in the 58th minute.

Sulola, 18, came on for just her second competitive senior appearance in the 64th minute and, within 60 seconds of entering the field, got her first senior goal after showing real strength and desire to bundle herself through a sea of bodies and then fire the ball into the back of the net.

"I thought we worked exceptionally hard and it was a professional performance with five goals, a clean sheet and we're into the next round so we're really pleased with it," Head Coach Karen Hills said at full-time.

"We have some fantastic players here, but we can only pick 11 and they've all been working so hard in training so it was an opportunity

Elisha Sulola celebrates her first senior goal for the Club

for us to give some of the players a chance to show what they can do. I thought they all did very well and I'm really proud of them all and looking forward to the next round of this magical competition."

Spurs: Morgan, Leon, Worm, Schillaci (c), Mitchell (Addison 62), Peplow, Haines, Davison (Sulola 64), Ayane, Graham, Dean (Quinn 67). Substitutes (not used): Drew, Green, Filbey, Neville.

Barnsley: Davies, Bell, Ward, Turner (c), Drew Greene, Hornsey, Smith (Tugby 63), Darcie Greene, Woodruff, Bartrup, Woodhouse (Butcher 76). Substitutes (not used): Pierrepont, Brown, Crump.

Monday's draw saw us paired away to FA Women's Championship side Coventry United and the fifth round tie will see Ashleigh Neville face her former side, with the fixture scheduled to be played on Sunday 16 February.

JESS NAZ: INJURY WILL ONLY MAKE ME STRONGER

Jess Naz has revealed she's making positive progress on her road to recovery following her ACL injury – and has thanked her Spurs Women team-mates for helping and supporting her along the way.

A stand out performer in our promotion-winning campaign last season, Jess scored one of the most important goals in our history when she curled in an exquisite free-kick against Aston Villa as we gained the point required to secure promotion to the Barclays FA Women's Super League (WSL).

Impressive displays for England followed for Jess in the 2019 Women's Under-19 Euros, earning her a place in UEFA's team of the tournament.

But as preparations for our WSL debut stepped up a notch in a pre-season tournament in Cadiz, Spain, Jess' world turned upside down when she ruptured an anterior cruciate ligament (ACL) in the final of the Ramón de Carranza Trophy against Athletic Bilbao.

"I'm doing good and I feel that I'm progressing quite well," the 19-year-old said. "I came off my crutches last week and the plan

PLAYER STATS

	WSL		CT Cup		WFA Cup	
	APP	G	APP	G	APP	G
Angela Addison	5	0	3	3	1	0
Rosella Ayane	10	0	4	1	1	0
Gemma Davison	10	0	3	0	1	1
Rianna Dean	12	2	2	1	1	1
Anna Filbey	11	0	3	1	0	0
Rachel Furness	9	1	2	0	0	0
Hannah Godfrey	12	0	1	0	0	0
Kit Graham	13	3	4	1	1	0
Josie Green	12	0	3	1	0	0
Coral-Jade	3	0	5	0	1	0
Renea Jarrett	0	0	1	0	0	0
Lucia Leon	3	0	5	1	1	0
Chloe Morgan	3	0	5	0	1	0
Emma Mitchell	3	0	0	0	1	0
Ashleigh Neville	11	1	3	0	0	0
Chloe Peplow	10	0	4	0	1	0
Ria Percival	11	0	4	0	0	0
Lucy Quinn	13	2	5	3	1	0
Jenna Schillaci	3	0	4	0	1	0
Becky Spencer	12	0	1	0	0	0
Sofia Stovold	0	0	1	0	0	0
Elisha Sulola	0	0	1	0	1	1
Siri Worm	9	0	2	0	1	1
Megan Wynne	3	0	4	0	0	0

Stats correct up to and including 26.01.20

FIXTURES & RESULTS

DATE	H/A	OPPOSITION	RES
SEPTEMBER			
SUN 8	A	CHELSEA	0-1
SUN 15	H	LIVERPOOL	1-0
SUN 22	H	READING (CT CUP)	0-4
SUN 29	A	WEST HAM UNITED	2-0
OCTOBER			
SUN 13	H	MANCHESTER UNITED	0-3
SUN 20	A	WEST HAM UTD (CT CUP) (Spurs win on pens 4-2)	2-2
SUN 27	A	BRISTOL CITY	2-1
NOVEMBER			
SUN 3	A	CRYSTAL PALACE (CT)	3-1
SUN 17	H*	ARSENAL	0-2
WED 20	A	CHELSEA (CT CUP)	1-5
SUN 24	A	EVERTON	1-3
DECEMBER			
SUN 1	A	BIRMINGHAM CITY	1-1
SUN 8	H	BRIGHTON & HA	1-0
WED 11	H	LEWES (CT CUP)	6-0
SUN 15	A	READING	1-3
JANUARY			
SUN 5	H	MANCHESTER CITY	1-4
SUN 12	H	WEST HAM UNITED	2-1
SUN 19	A	MANCHESTER UNITED	0-3
SUN 26	H	BARNSLEY (FA CUP)	5-0
FEBRUARY			
SUN 2	H	BRISTOL CITY	-
SUN 9	A	ARSENAL	-
WED 12	H	EVERTON	-
SUN 16	A	COVENTRY (FAC5)	-
SUN 23	A	BRIGHTON & HA	-
MARCH			
SUN 22	H	BIRMINGHAM CITY	-
SUN 29	H	CHELSEA	-
APRIL			
SUN 5	A	LIVERPOOL	-
SUN 26	A	MANCHESTER CITY	-
MAY			
SAT 16	H	READING	-

All home fixtures to be played at The Hive unless stated.

WSL TABLE

TEAM	PLD	W	D	L	GD	PTS
MANCHESTER CITY	13	11	0	2	+28	33
ARSENAL	13	11	0	2	+27	33
CHELSEA	12	10	2	0	+26	32
MANCHESTER UNITED	11	6	0	5	+11	18
EVERTON	11	6	0	5	+2	18
READING	12	5	2	5	-5	17
SPURS	13	5	1	7	-10	16
WEST HAM UNITED	11	4	1	6	-7	13
BRIGHTON	13	2	3	8	-19	9
BIRMINGHAM CITY	11	2	1	8	-15	7
LIVERPOOL	12	1	3	8	-9	6
BRISTOL CITY	12	1	3	8	-29	6

now is to keep building up my strength. Once I get the thumbs up from the surgeon, I can hopefully step things up in the gym and then fingers crossed in a month, I'll be able to start straight line running. Sarah Budd (First team sports therapist) didn't think I'd progress this quickly, but I pushed myself in the gym before surgery so that helped me, and now my recovery is going better than anyone expected."

Grateful for the support from the players and staff, the young forward commented: "I tried to isolate myself but realised that I needed the girls a lot. I'll see them all at training and keep them all updated because they are constantly checking up on me which I appreciate a lot.

"Siri (Worm) spoke to me about setting small goals because it's a long road to recovery so that helps keep you motivated. I clicked with Gemma (Davison) in pre-season straight away and she was helping me a lot on and off the field. But all the girls have helped me, they're all role models and I look up to a lot of them. There's been a few other players who have suffered the same injury in the league this season too - Ellie Brazil at Bristol is one and I reached out to her. I've also been coming into training every Tuesday and helping Celine Mcintyre (Development Squad player) in the gym as she is going through the same thing with her ACL injury."

Although the first serious injury of her career has been a tough one to take, the England Under-19 international remains in positive spirits and knows that her time to shine in the WSL will come around before long.

"At the time of my injury, I felt I was doing so well," Jess continued. "I was happy with my performance at the Euros and really looking forward to playing in the WSL. I've always dreamed about playing in the top league. The dream is on hold for now but my time will come soon.

"I've been watching loads of football clips of when I was playing which has been helping me and also I've been able to spend a lot of time with my family. I've been given some inspirational books, so I've been reading them and some quotes I'll underline and look back on to keep me going. I know I've still got age on my side and this injury is only going to make me even stronger and better for the future."

Jess Naz

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FROM THE CHEF

AN INTERVIEW WITH ONE OF OUR ON FOUR CHEF PARTNERS: ATUL KOCHHAR

One of our **On Four** Partner Chef's, Atul Kochhar, cooked a beautiful menu at our last game against Norwich. We caught up with him to get a deeper insight on his experience working at Tottenham Hotspur Stadium and where the inspiration for his menus comes from.

Your On Four at Tottenham Hotspur debut had rave reviews, can you tell us how the collaboration came about?
I was actually contacted through my friend and highly respected chef, Paul Gayler. He approached me about the opportunity and I really loved the idea. I worked with the Tottenham kitchen team, we planned the menu, everybody was fantastic. We did our first dinner in November last year and it was brilliant.

Where did the inspiration for your On Four menus come from?
I am all about Indian food and British ingredients. I lean heavily on seasonality and produce I can find in the markets. My menu for **On Four** took inspiration from all of this and I also wanted it to reflect my menus at my restaurants. The meal included my signature dish, Chicken Tikka Pie and my legendary lamb chops!

How did you find the matchday buzz to cook in and what was your favourite part of the On Four experience?
It was incredibly busy, every moment I was there, I loved it. My favourite part was working with such an excellent team. The team at Tottenham were so accommodating and always helpful. They made me feel like I was in my own kitchen, it was a delight.

What can our Members expect from your next On Four appearance?
Seasonality is always a key component to this menu, so it'll be a different menu to last time. I don't want to reveal too much, but I promise that even those who came last time will absolutely love it next time as well.

Being the first Indian chef to win a Michelin star is a great achievement, do you feel pressure as a result of this, and how do you stay inspired to keep creating?
I don't really feel any pressure, this is what I love to do. Inspiration comes from everywhere. I feel that there is so much creativity around, so many fantastic ingredients to use throughout the year, you have to look to Mother Nature. When it comes to designing menus, I think about how I want people to feel when they eat my food. Everyday situations, like the weather, have a huge impact on how we feel and how we behave. I hope that through my spices, and through the cooking techniques I have built up throughout my life, I can create delicious food that helps bring joy to any day.

And finally – what is your favourite football/ sporting moment?
Well, I'm an oldie! So, for me, Pele is my greatest football legend. I still watch videos of his best goals. The way he strikes the ball into the net is sublime!

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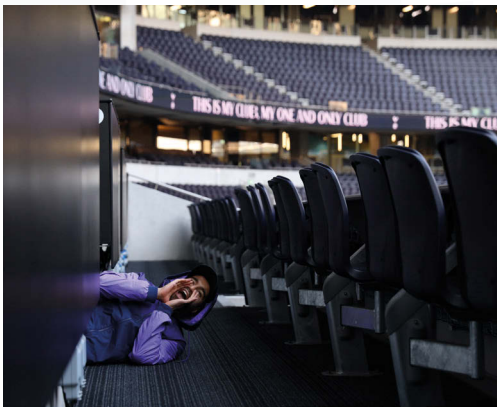

Visitors to our stadium enjoyed a tour with a twist recently when Lucas Moura called in to surprise them.

As groups of unsuspecting fans were guided around a behind-the-scenes Stadium Tour, Lucas watched from various hiding places along the route, trying to maintain his cover. The secret spots included familiar First Team areas like the tunnel and dressing room, as well as the stands.

The Brazilian finally revealed himself at the final point of the tour, the Press Auditorium, where he took questions and posed for photos with shocked fans.

Among the visitors was the Prado family, who travelled across the world from Lucas' hometown of São Paulo, to visit the stadium and watch our home win against Norwich City.

Speaking after the surprise, 10-year-old Gabriel Prado said: "I love Lucas! We are both from Brazil and I am so happy to meet him here."

Long-time fan Clive Maxheath added: "I had one of those moments where I thought…hang on, I recognise him! I had a flashback to the winning goal against Ajax. It was bizarre and magical."

Lucas said: "I had a great time hiding out around the stadium and seeing the look on fans' faces when I came out from my cover! A special experience."

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PREMIER LEAGUE TOP FIVES

GOALS

1	VARDY	17
2	AGUERO	16
3	AUBAMEYANG	14
4	INGS	14
5	RASHFORD	14

ASSISTS

1	DE BRUYNE	15
2	ALEXANDER-A...	10
3	BUENDIA	7
4	DAVID SILVA	7
5	MAHREZ	7

SHOTS ON TARGET

1	MOHAMED SA...	34
2	RASHFORD	34
3	ABRAHAM	32
4	VARDY	32
5	JIMENEZ	31

MINUTES PER GOAL

1	AGÜERO	69
2	VARDY	114
3	INGS	118
4	GABRIEL JESUS	132
5	RASHFORD	134

% OF GOALS INVOLVED IN

1	PUKKI	58
2	RASHFORD	50
3	JIMENEZ	49
4	INGS	48
5	AUBAMEYANG	47

MINUTES PER ASSIST

1	DE BRUYNE	126
2	DAVID SILVA	168
3	MAHREZ	170
4	ALEXANDER-A...	202
5	BARNES	219

FOULS

1	WESLEY	43
2	CAPOUE	41
3	WARD-PROWSE	39
4	HØJBJERG	38
5	XHAKA	38

MINUTES PER GOAL CONCEDED

1	GUNN	36
2	JIMENEZ	40
3	KRUL	50
4	HEATON	51
5	POPE	57

PREMIER LEAGUE SPOTLIGHT

Southampton have won 65% of their Premier League points this season away from home (20/31) – in the history of the competition, only Crystal Palace in 1997-98 (67%) have won a higher share on the road over a full season.

PREMIER LEAGUE SPOTLIGHT

Aymeric Laporte has ended on the winning side in 42 of his 49 Premier League appearances – the record for wins in the first 50 games for any player is 42, shared by Didier Drogba, Arjen Robben and Ederson.

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BACK POST AT THE

What does the name Manchester City stir in the memory of club historian John Fennelly? We find out.

1

JIMMY ANDERSON

When we played Manchester City in season 1957/58, each Division One encounter ended 5-1 – with both sides winning their home games!

It was manager Jimmy Anderson's last full season in charge, and we finished third in the final table with City fifth. Danny Blanchflower was named 'Footballer of the Year' with Bobby Smith the league's top goalscorer on 36.

Bobby Johnstone and Joe Hayes both scored twice at City along with Colin Barlow and a Ken Branagan own goal. Hayes opened the scoring in the return where Smith (3), Johnny Brooks and George Robb replied.

Sadly, the season is most remembered for the Munich air disaster involving Manchester United in which 23 people died, including eight of the club's players.

2

WALTER TULL

Walter Tull scored just twice in his 10 league appearances for us – his second coming in a 1-1 draw with City at White Hart Lane in December 1910.

Striker Tull, widely regarded as the first black outfield player to play top flight football in this country, was not a regular in the side at the time and clearly not expected to play. The line-up page in the programme for the match had our number nine shirt detailed as 'A.N. Other'.

However, our subsequent programme spoke about our poor fortune on the day: "Ill luck deprived us of a well-earned victory. Our boys were a long way ahead of City and we cannot forget that a splendidly worked for goal by Tull was wrongly disallowed for offside.

"To crown our misfortunes, we missed a penalty kick and consider that another penalty should have been given. However, we do not wish to make too much of our bad luck…"

3

BOBBY SMITH

When we won the 'Double' in 1960-61, we set a record of 11 successive victories at the start of the season. That run was ended by City when they battled to a 1-1 draw at the Lane in the October.

We dominated on the night with 39 shots against nine, 14 corners to two. Yet City could have won it in the 80th minute when Colin Barlow missed a glorious chance after being set up by fellow winger Clive Colbridge.

England's Bobby Smith headed us into the lead in the 27th minute before Joe Hayes set up Colbridge for the equaliser. After that, visiting goalkeeper Bert Trautmann proved unbeatable.

4 BILLY MINTER

Our first visit to play at City in the league came in 1911 when we lost 2-1 in Division One. We had been promoted in 1909 when we replaced them in the top flight with the Blues coming back up a year later as Second Division champions.

However, we had visited their Hyde Road home in our promotion season – and our inaugural campaign in the Football League – in the first round of the FA Cup that we had famously won as a non-league side in 1901. Our City visit was in January 1909 and ended in a 4-3 Spurs win with our future manager Billy Minter scoring twice. Tom Morris (penalty) and Bobby Steel also netted for us.

5 ALEX STEEL

Half-back Alex Steel joined us from City in January 1910. He played in just one senior game for us but would make history in doing so.

His league debut was at home to Bradford City which was also unremarkable as the encounter ended goalless. But with his brothers Bobby and Danny also in our team the match remains the only one in which we have fielded three brothers in the same league game.

6 PAUL STEWART

When Paul Stewart arrived at Tottenham from Maine Road in June 1988 he was bought as a striker having scored regularly for Blackpool and home-town club City.

Manager Terry Venables paid out a then club record £1.7 million for the big man. But his career really took off when he dropped back to midfield and he played for England and scored our equaliser in our 1991 FA Cup Final triumph over Nottingham Forest. He left us for Liverpool in July 1992.

7 NAYIM

In season 1992/93 we beat City four times – with three of those victories at Maine Road. Nayim scored four of our nine goals against them.

Both clubs finished mid table in the top flight and we reached the semi-finals of the FA Cup. And we certainly held the ascendancy over the Citizens.

The unfortunate Terry Phelan scored the decisive goal at City in the November following our similar single goal win there the previous month in the Coco-Cola Cup. Vinny Samways hit that one.

Next up was our FA Cup quarter-final and a 4-2 away triumph for us, led by Nayim's trio plus another from Steve Sedgley. Mike Sheron and Phelan replied for our hosts.

At the Lane later that month, we won 3-1 with Nayim, Darren Anderton and Andy Turner our marksmen. Sheron netted for City.

8 JIMMY CANTRELL

Centre-forward Jimmy Cantrell scored four goals in successive games against City in 1912.

He netted once in our 2-2 draw at Hyde Road on Christmas Day and then bagged a hat-trick when City followed us south to the Lane on Boxing Day when we won 4-0.

Cantrell had made his debut at Manchester United in October after scoring twice against us for Notts County – in a game subsequently abandoned due to fog – and signed for us days later.

YOUR SHOUT

This is the place for you, our supporters, to share your greetings, wishes, messages and photos through our matchday programme. If you want something to be included, please email us at programme@tottenhamhotspur.com and we will do our best to feature it.

BIRTHDAYS

Best wishes to the following Spurs fans

One Hotspur Junior Bobby Baker, who turns 10 on Wednesday. He recently underwent an operation in hospital, giving a thumbs up after his surgery and was thrilled to see Harry Kane do the same pose a week later!

One Hotspur Junior Blake Hards, who celebrates his 12th birthday on Tuesday.

In our Sideline Suites, a happy 53rd birthday to Ciarán McDonnell and a belated happy birthday to Lorraine Charman.

Brenda Eastland, a lifelong fan who celebrates her 80th birthday on Friday.

Season ticket holder Darren Hills, who celebrates his 50th birthday on Thursday.

Eric Church, who celebrates his birthday on 16 February.

Kate Norris, who celebrates her 17th birthday on Thursday and is at today's game with her dad, Clive and uncle Lol.

Season ticket holder Nick Barber, who celebrates his birthday on Thursday.

Lifelong supporter Malcolm Whitehead, who celebrated his 70th birthday on 11 January and is at this afternoon's game with his son Phil, their first visit to the new stadium.

Harvey Pritchard, a lifelong fan who barely misses a game at home, away or abroad, celebrates his 17th birthday on 9 February.

Marianna Spring, who celebrates her birthday on 21 February.

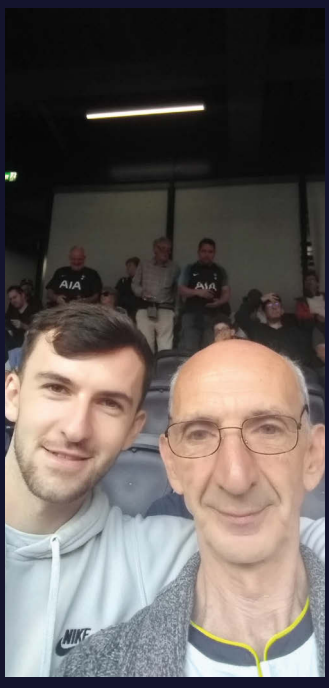
Tom Perry, who celebrated his 60th birthday on 25 December.

Jane Wilson, a West Stand season ticket holder who celebrates her birthday on 10 February.

Season ticket holder Alex Howard, who celebrates his 30th birthday on 24 February.

South Stand season ticket holder Joseph Fitzgerald, who is celebrating his 22nd birthday.

Lifelong supporter and season ticket holder Derek Bloomfield, who is celebrating his 80th birthday with his grandchildren.



Robin O'Connell, a lifelong fan who was 64 on Thursday and is at today's game.

Mark Culpan, who celebrates his 50th birthday on Friday.

Bob Ford, a supporter since 1961 who celebrates his 70th birthday on Tuesday and is pictured on a recent stadium tour.

In Espuela, happy birthday to Nathan Williams.

Harvey Patton, a season ticket holder from Northern Ireland, who is celebrating his 11th birthday today and is pictured cheering us on away to Middlesbrough in the FA Cup last month.

In our Premium Seats, happy birthday to John Mawhinney, Jonathan Sehring, Laurence Everitt and happy 66th birthday to Charlie Whelan.

In Lower East Side, happy 60th birthday to Gary Watson.

In our Broadcast Booths, happy 70th birthday to David Steddy.

In Galvin at Tottenham, happy 14th birthday to Jessica Barker.

In Stratus, happy birthday to Marie Neville.

Wishing Steve Williams a very happy birthday, we hope you have a great day celebrating with us in The Tunnel Club.

NEW ADDITIONS

Welcoming young Spurs supporters

This is Yahav Baruch, who was born on 9 December to Spurs fans Emma and Eran Baruch. His sister Levia can't wait to teach him all the Spurs songs!

Raphael George Alticosalian was born on 20 November last year to proud parents Louise and Sevan.

Congratulations to Joe Ricotta, the proud grandfather of Spurs' newest family member, Vinny.

GLOBAL SPURS

Images from around the world

ICELAND
Here is Spurs fan Stuart Reeve proudly flying the flag during a recent trip to Reykjavik in Iceland with girlfriend Daniela.

WELCOME

A warm welcome to the following Spurs fans

A warm welcome to George Kosma, who is attending his first match at the new stadium this afternoon having travelled all the way from Skiathos in Greece.

In our Premium Seats, welcome to the stadium for the first time to Helge and Hans Peder Anonsen.

OBITUARIES

We were sorry to hear of the passing of the following Spurs supporters:

Dennis Patton, who passed away on 20 January at the age of 53. A beloved fan, dad, son and husband. The funniest, most caring and loving man you could have met. He died so young but touched so many hearts and his son Harrison lives on in his Spurs legacy.

Paul Crush, who died suddenly on 18 December, aged 42. He was a lifelong fan and former South Stand season ticket holder for many years with his dad. He will be sorely missed by all who knew him and is survived by his wife Tracy and two children, Lilly (eight) and Harry (four).

Edgar Thomas Moss, who passed away on 25 December at the age of 95. A lifelong supporter who followed in his father's footsteps, his son Philip now takes the helm on continuing to support the club. He will be dearly missed by his three adoring children.

Martin Hall, who passed away on 16 January, aged 80. A lifelong supporter and respected Swindon Spurs member, he will be sadly missed by all his family and friends.

Mark Wotton, who passed away aged 59 on 10 December last year. A One Hotspur member and lifelong fan, he loved nothing more than going to a match with his son on the Shelf at the Lane, at Wembley and most recently the new stadium. If he couldn't make it to a game, you would find him cheering us on from the sofa. Forever loved by his wife, children and grandchildren.

Keith Larner, who passed away on 17 January, at the age of 62, a season ticket holder and a true Lilywhite.

Patricia Flattley, a season ticket holder who passed away suddenly on 20 January, aged 77. A loving mother to Les and Peter and nan to Luke and Reece, she will be sadly missed by all her family and friends.

Maurice Porch, from Broxbourne, who passed away after a short illness on 14 January, aged 76. A lifelong Spurs fan who went to his first game in 1954, he will be sadly missed by sons Jay and Matt and all his family and friends.

We would like to extend our condolences to their families and friends at this sad time.

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LEAGUE APPEARANCES: 153
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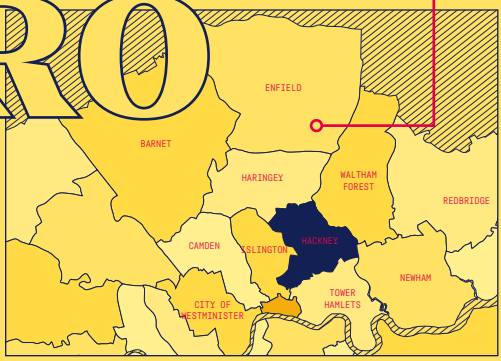

Looking back on players spotted by Spurs playing locally in schools' football – and who went on to star in our first team. John Fennelly details the career of Charlie Withers.

Few players can have had to compete against such high-calibre team-mates just to earn a senior place as Charlie Withers endured during almost a decade of first team service. Yet the fact that he played more than 200 games in all competitions for us shows the tenacity and sheer spirit that surged through his footballing brain.

He made his debut at left-back in 1948 when he was up against Vic Buckingham and looked to be firmly established when future England international Arthur Willis emerged through the same Spurs ranks as Withers to take him on.

Then, when Willis departed for Swansea in 1954, Charlie was looking over his shoulder again at a young Mel Hopkins who was also rising from our juniors to stake his own claim! Hopkins, who would go on to star for Wales, was himself subsequently under pressure from Ron Henry!

By then Withers had switched to right-back when England man Alf Ramsey left for Ipswich. So, when England's Maurice Norman was signed from Norwich and started out at right-back before emerging as such a highly-competent international centre-half, Charlie's loyalty – and optimism – was being severely tested!

Yet his commitment to the club endured as he accepted his squad place and waited patiently in the reserves for a senior chance. And he never let anyone down as successive managers – Joe Hulme, Arthur Rowe and Jimmy Anderson – knew they could always rely on him.

Edmonton-born, Charlie attended Latymer School and was an all-round sportsman as a lad. He played for Edmonton, Middlesex and London in schools' football and was very much on our radar when he left full-time education in

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Charlie Withers (right) with Alf Ramsey.

1937 to join a local wood-working factory as a machinist at the age of 15.

We took him on as an amateur the following year and he played for our junior side before switching to our associate club Finchley to continue his progress in a more senior environment.

At the outbreak of World War Two, Withers was called up by the army and served with the Royal Artillery, playing his part in the Normandy D-Day landings yet still managing to make a number of 'A' team appearances for Spurs until he was demobbed in March 1947.

He immediately returned to White Hart Lane where we signed him as a professional in the October after a spell on the groundstaff. Charlie made great strides and by the following March was stepping up for his debut against Barnsley in Division Two.

Withers was an instant hit with the Tottenham crowd due to his tough battling approach. He was a powerful individual who loved a sliding tackle yet his speed of recovery if his timing was slightly out meant that he was seldom caught out of position.

He missed just two games in our promotion season of 1949-50 as he and the great Ron Burgess developed a highly effective partnership along our left flank. But those matches were crucial as they were the final two of the campaign and that allowed Willis to replace him and hold on to the place the following season as Rowe's 'Push and Run' side swept their way to the First Division Championship with Charlie just managing to play in the opening two games.

Withers was an intelligent attacking player, despite Rowe's positive tactics putting such pressure on the full-backs, and so versatile that, when an injury crisis left us without a left-winger for an FA Cup fourth round tie at Preston in January 1953 , Charlie took on the role and scored both our goals in the 2-2 draw!

We reached the semi-finals that year – losing out 2-1 to eventual-winners Blackpool at Villa Park.

Withers was also rewarded with an England 'B' cap and, with his playing days coming to a gradual close, showed his loyalty to the Spurs cause by adopting the job of player-coach with our 'A ' team and also playing for our Reserves up until November 1957 when he returned to Finchley as coach.

He later played for Boston United, Romford and Deal and managed Edmonton in their Athenian League days. Charlie also enjoyed angling and moved to Devon to continue his hobby where he died in June 2005 at the age of 82.

AWAY MATCH

Clive Wilson was born in Rusholme, Manchester, and played for Moss Side before turning professional at Maine Road in December 1979. He had missed out on the usual apprenticeship route to the full-time game as he was studying electrical engineering at college.

Willo was a midfielder at that time, often operating wide on the left wing with plenty of opportunity to demonstrate his excellent crossing ability.

He moved to Chelsea in in March 1987 and on to QPR three years later where he subsequently worked with manager Gerry Francis who moved him to left-back.

Clive followed Francis to Spurs in June 1995 as Gerry continued to illustrate his tendency to use players who understood his tactical approach and who he knew would do a good job in all circumstances. Wilson showed the logic in that belief and, although 34 by then, gave us excellent service and brought vital experience to our back line.

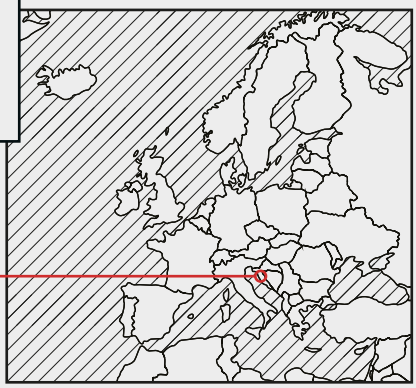
He left us for Cambridge in the summer of 1999, later played and coached at Wingate and Finchley and is now a teacher.

TRAINING DAYS

ALL SET FOR CITY CLASH

More exclusive photos from Hotspur Way, as new signing Steven Bergwijn joins the group in the build up to today's big game.

EURO ZONE



CROATIA
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Language: Croatian

Ahead of UEFA Euro 2020, Andy Greeves offers the lowdown on various nations that will be appearing at the European Championships as it celebrates its 60th anniversary. Today he takes a look at Zlatko Dalic's Croatia.

FORM GUIDE

A 3-1 victory over Slovenia in Rijeka on 16 November, 2019 saw Croatia confirm their qualification for UEFA Euro 2020. Zlatko Dalic's side came from a goal down to seal their win, which also saw them top Group E, with strikes from Nikola Vlasic, Bruno Petkovic and Ivan Perisic. Croatia won five of their eight qualifying matches, drew two and lost just one. Petkovic was Group E's top goal scorer with four strikes during the campaign.

KEY PLAYER

Our former midfielder **Luka Modric** continues to be the heartbeat of the Croatian national team. The 2018 Ballon d'Or winner has featured in 127 internationals since making his debut against Argentina in Basel on 1 March 2006. He captained his country as they finished as runners-up in the 2018 FIFA World Cup while he was also included in their squad for 2006 and 2014 tournaments as well as the 2008, 2012 and 2016 UEFA European Championships.

Modric joined us from Dinamo Zagreb in 2008, making his debut in our Premier League match at Middlesbrough on 16 August. He became a key figure during four seasons with us, in which he scored 17 goals in 159 appearances. Modric departed for Real Madrid in 2012, where he has since won La Liga and collected four UEFA Champions League winners' medals.

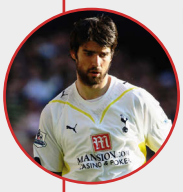
SPURS CONNECTION

We travelled to the former Yugoslavia on 20 September 1967 to take on **Hajduk Split**, who now ply their trade in the Croatian Prva Liga. Goals from Jimmy Robertson and Jimmy Greaves gave us a 2-0 victory in the European Cup Winners' Cup first round, first leg tie. Robertson bagged a brace while Alan Gilzean and Terry Venables were also on target as we beat Hajduk 4-3 in the second leg at White Hart Lane a week later.

We faced **Hajduk Split** in European competition again in 1983/84 – this time in a UEFA Cup semi-final. Mark Falco got an all-important away goal as we lost 2-1 in Split on 11 April, 1984. Micky Hazard was on target in the second leg in N17 two weeks later as we progressed to the final on the away goals rule after a 2-2 aggregate draw.

Our European Cup Winners' Cup first round, first leg tie 'away' to **Hajduk Split** on 17 September, 1991 was staged in Linz, Austria. We overcame a 1-0 defeat there to win 2-0 in the second leg at White Hart Lane two weeks later thanks to strikes from David Tuttle and Gordon Durie.

Our most recent competitive encounter with a Croatian club took place on 6 November, 2008 as a Darren Bent hat-trick helped us to a 4-0 win over Dinamo Zagreb in a UEFA Cup Group D match. Tom Huddlestone was also on target in the win.



The aforementioned **Luka Modric** was joined at White Hart Lane on 1 September, 2008 by compatriot **Vedran Corluka** following a transfer from Manchester City. The defender scored once in 109 appearances for us prior to his move to his current club Lokomotiv Moscow in 2012. Zagreb-born midfielder **Niko Kranjcar** netted 11 times in 71 matches for us between 2009 and 2012 while goalkeeper **Stipe Pletikosa** won two of his 114 caps for Croatia during a season-long loan with us in 2010/11.

Former Croatian Under-19 international **Tomislav Gomelt** signed professional terms with us in January, 2013 but never featured in a competitive match for us at senior level. He departed for Italian side Bari in July 2015.

EURO HISTORY

Having declared independence from the former Yugoslavia on 8 October, 1991, Croatia became a member of both UEFA and FIFA around two years later. They secured qualification for a major tournament at the first time of asking, topping their UEFA Euro 1996 qualifying group before eventually reaching the last eight at the finals in England.

After failing to qualify for Euro 2000, Croatia have featured at the finals of the competition ever since.

A group stage exit in 2004 was followed by a run to the quarter-finals in 2008. Slaven Bilic's side boasted a 100 per cent record in Group B at UEFA Euro 2008 – beating Austria, Germany and Poland. They eventually lost 3-1 on penalties to Turkey after a 1-1 draw after extra-time in their last-eight tie in Basel on 19 June.

More recently, Croatia were eliminated at the group stage once again at Euro 2012 prior to their run to the round of 16 of the tournament in France four years ago.

UEFA EURO 2020 GROUP D FIXTURES

England	Czech Republic	Play-off winner C
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Christian Eriksen	20	2	2	0	1	0	5	1	226	51	15	4	13	4	51	10	305	69	463	101
Gedson Fernandes	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	62	3
Juan Foyth	4	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	16	1	7	0	3	0	6	0	32	1	39	1
Paulo Gazzaniga	17	0	2	0	1	0	4	0	21	0	4	0	6	0	5	0	36	0	115	0
Harry Kane	20	11	0	0	0	0	5	6	198	136	14	10	11	5	55	30	278	181	343	197
Erik Lamela	14	2	3	1	1	0	3	1	143	16	13	3	13	3	39	11	208	33	309	58
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Davinson Sanchez	17	0	2	0	1	0	4	0	71	1	6	0	5	0	20	0	102	1	183	9
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Moussa Sissoko	20	2	0	0	0	0	6	0	107	3	10	0	7	1	27	0	151	4	503	39
Oliver Skipp	3	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	11	0	2	0	3	0	2	0	18	0	18	0
Heung-Min Son	19	6	3	1	1	0	6	5	149	48	20	11	8	3	40	17	217	79	380	128
Japhet Tanganga	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	5	0	5	0
Jan Vertonghen	16	1	2	0	0	0	3	0	225	6	13	1	12	1	56	3	306	11	546	42
Kyle Walker-Peters	3	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	12	0	6	1	3	0	3	0	24	1	24	1
Victor Wanyama	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	69	6	9	0	4	0	15	1	97	7	339	26
Harry Winks	19	0	3	0	0	0	3	0	82	2	10	0	8	0	27	0	127	2	127	2

UP TO AND INCLUDING 25.01.20

PREMIER LEAGUE TABLE 2019/20

			HOME					AWAY						
		PLD	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Liverpool	23	12	0	0	31	9	10	1	0	23	6	+39	67
2	Manchester City	24	8	2	2	31	12	8	1	3	34	15	+38	51
3	Leicester City	24	8	2	2	24	12	7	1	4	28	12	+28	48
4	Chelsea	24	5	3	4	16	12	7	1	4	25	20	+9	40
5	Manchester United	24	6	4	2	24	12	3	3	6	12	17	+7	34
6	Tottenham Hotspur	24	7	2	3	23	12	2	5	5	15	20	+6	34
7	Wolverhampton W	24	4	5	3	18	17	4	5	3	17	15	+3	34
8	Sheffield United	24	5	2	5	13	11	3	7	2	12	12	+2	33
9	Southampton	24	3	2	7	13	28	6	2	4	18	14	-11	31
10	Arsenal	24	4	5	3	18	18	2	7	3	14	16	-2	30
11	Crystal Palace	24	4	4	4	10	12	3	5	4	12	16	-6	30
12	Everton	24	6	3	3	15	13	2	3	7	13	22	-7	30
13	Burnley	24	6	0	6	16	18	3	3	6	12	20	-10	30
14	Newcastle United	24	5	4	3	12	12	3	2	7	12	24	-12	30
15	Brighton & Hove Albion	24	4	5	3	16	13	2	2	8	11	21	-7	25
16	Aston Villa	24	5	2	5	16	21	2	2	8	15	24	-14	25
17	West Ham United	23	3	2	6	17	20	3	3	6	10	18	-11	23
18	AFC Bournemouth	24	3	4	5	13	18	3	1	8	10	19	-14	23
19	Watford	24	3	5	4	11	14	2	3	7	10	22	-15	23
20	Norwich City	24	3	3	6	18	25	1	2	9	6	22	-23	17

UP TO AND INCLUDING 23.01.20

PREMIER LEAGUE TOP GOALSCORERS

	PLAYER	TEAM	GLS
1	Jamie Vardy	Leicester	17
2	Sergio Aguero	Man City	16
3	P.E.Aubameyang	Arsenal	14
4	Marcus Rashford	Man Utd	14
5	Danny Ings	Southampton	14
6	Tammy Abraham	Chelsea	13
7	Harry Kane	Spurs	11
8	Sadio Mane	Liverpool	11
9	Mo Salah	Liverpool	11
10	Raheem Sterling	Man City	11

PREMIER LEAGUE TOP ASSISTS

	PLAYER	TEAM	GLS
1	Kevin De Bruyne	Man City	15
2	T.A. Arnold	Liverpool	10
3	Emilio Buendia	Norwich	7
4	Riyad Mahrez	Man City	7
5	David Silva	Man City	7
6	Heung-Min Son	Spurs	7
7	Adama Traore	Wolves	7
8	Daniel James	Man Utd	6
9	Sadio Mane	Liverpool	6
10	Andy Robertson	Liverpool	6

Fixtures & Results

	DATE	H/A	OPPOSITION	KO/RES	ATT	STARTING XI						
August	Sat 10	H	Aston Villa	3-1	60,407	LLORIS	WALKER-PETERS	ALDERWEIRELD	SANCHEZ	ROSE	NDOMBELE 1	WINKS
	Sat 17	A	Manchester City	2-2	54,503	LLORIS	WALKER-PETERS	ALDERWEIRELD	SANCHEZ	ROSE	NDOMBELE	WINKS
	Sun 25	H	Newcastle United	0-1	59,245	LLORIS	WALKER-PETERS	SANCHEZ	SANCHEZ	ROSE	SISSOKO	WINKS
September	Sun 01	A	Arsenal	2-2	60,333	LLORIS	SANCHEZ	ALDERWEIRELD	VERTONGHEN	ROSE	SISSOKO	WINKS
	Sat 14	H	Crystal Palace	4-0	59,812	LLORIS	AURIER	ALDERWEIRELD	VERTONGHEN	ROSE	SISSOKO	WINKS
	Wed 18	A	Olympiacos (CL MD1)	2-2	31,001	LLORIS	SANCHEZ	ALDERWEIRELD	VERTONGHEN	DAVIES	NDOMBELE	WINKS
	Sat 21	A	Leicester City	1-2	32,129	GAZZANIGA	AURIER	ALDERWEIRELD	VERTONGHEN	ROSE	WINKS	SISSOKO
	Tue 24	A	Colchester United (CC3)	0-0 (3-4*)	9,481	GAZZANIGA	WALKER-PETERS	DIER	SANCHEZ	DAVIES	TANGANGA	WANYAMA
	Sat 28	H	Southampton	2-1	59,645	LLORIS	AURIER	ALDERWEIRELD	VERTONGHEN	ROSE	NDOMBELE 1	WINKS
October	Tue 01	H	Bayern Munich (CL MD2)	2-7	60,127	LLORIS	AURIER	ALDERWEIRELD	VERTONGHEN	ROSE	WINKS	SISSOKO
	Sat 05	A	Brighton & Hove Albion	0-3	30,610	LLORIS	SISSOKO	ALDERWEIRELD	VERTONGHEN	DAVIES	DIER	NDOMBELE
	Sat 19	H	Watford	1-1	58,754	GAZZANIGA	AURIER	ALDERWEIRELD	VERTONGHEN	SANCHEZ	ROSE	WINKS
	Tue 22	H	Crvena zvezda (CL MD3)	5-0	51,743	GAZZANIGA	AURIER	SANCHEZ	VERTONGHEN	DAVIES	SISSOKO	NDOMBELE
	Sun 27	A	Liverpool	1-2	53,222	GAZZANIGA	AURIER	ALDERWEIRELD	SANCHEZ	ROSE	SISSOKO	WINKS
November	Sun 03	A	Everton	1-1	39,001	GAZZANIGA	AURIER	ALDERWEIRELD	SANCHEZ	DAVIES	SISSOKO	NDOMBELE
	Wed 06	A	Crvena zvezda (CL MD4)	4-0	42,341	GAZZANIGA	FOYTH	SANCHEZ	DIER	ROSE	SISSOKO	NDOMBELE
	Sat 09	H	Sheffield United	1-1	59,781	GAZZANIGA	AURIER	SANCHEZ	DIER	DAVIES	SISSOKO	NDOMBELE
	Sat 23	A	West Ham United	3-2	59,930	GAZZANIGA	AURIER	SANCHEZ	ALDERWEIRELD	DAVIES	DIER	WINKS
	Tue 26	H	Olympiacos (CL MD5)	4-2	57,024	GAZZANIGA	**AURIER 1**	SANCHEZ	ALDERWEIRELD	ROSE	DIER	WINKS
	Sat 30	H	AFC Bournemouth	3-2	59,626	GAZZANIGA	AURIER	SANCHEZ	ALDERWEIRELD	VERTONGHEN	DIER	NDOMBELE
December	Wed 04	A	Manchester United	1-2	73,252	GAZZANIGA	AURIER	SANCHEZ	ALDERWEIRELD	VERTONGHEN	WINKS	SISSOKO
	Sat 07	H	Burnley	5-0	58,401	GAZZANIGA	AURIER	SANCHEZ	ALDERWEIRELD	VERTONGHEN	DIER	**SISSOKO 1**
	Wed 11	A	Bayern Munich (CL MD6)	1-3	70,000	GAZZANIGA	WALKER-PETERS	FOYTH	ALDERWEIRELD	ROSE	DIER	SISSOKO
	Sun 15	A	Wolverhampton W	2-1	31,674	GAZZANIGA	AURIER	SANCHEZ	ALDERWEIRELD	**VERTONGHEN 1**	DIER	SISSOKO
	Sat 22	H	Chelsea	0-2	61,104	GAZZANIGA	AURIER	SANCHEZ	ALDERWEIRELD	VERTONGHEN	DIER	SISSOKO
	Thu 26	H	Brighton & Hove Albion	2-1	56,308	GAZZZANIGA	AURIER	SANCHEZ	ALDERWEIRELD	VERTONGHEN	WINKS	SISSOKO
	Sat 28	A	Norwich City	2-2	27,072	GAZZANIGA	AURIER	FOYTH	ALDERWEIRELD	VERTONGHEN	NDOMBELE	SESSEGNON
January	Wed 01	A	Southampton	0-1	30,096	GAZZANIGA	AURIER	ALDERWEIRELD	VERTONGHEN	SESSEGNON	NDOMBELE	SISSOKO
	Sun 05	A	Middlesbrough FAC (R3)	1-1	26,693	GAZZANIGA	AURIER	ALDERWEIRELD	VERTONGHEN	SESSEGNON	DIER	WINKS
	Sat 11	H	Liverpool	0-1	61,023	GAZZANIGA	TANGANGA	ALDERWEIRELD	SANCHEZ	ROSE	AURIER	WINKS
	Tue 14	H	Middlesbrough FAC (R3R)	2-1	49,202	GAZZANIGA	TANGANGA	SANCHEZ	VERTONGHEN	SESSEGNON	DIER	WINKS
	Sat 18	A	Watford	0-0	21,366	GAZZANIGA	AURIER	ALDERWEIRELD	VERTONGHEN	TANGANGA	WINKS	LO CELSO
	Wed 22	H	Norwich City	2-1	58,182	LLORIS	AURIER	ALDERWEIRELD	VERGONGHEN	SESSEGNON	WINKS	LO CELSO
	Sat 25	A	Southampton FAC (R4)	1-1	29,282	LLORIS	AURIER	ALDERWEIRELD	SANCHEZ	TANGANGA	WINKS	FERNANDES
February	Sun 02	H	Manchester City	16.30								
	Wed 05	H	Southampton FAC (R4R)	19.45								
	Sun 16	A	Aston Villa	14.00								
	Wed 19	H	RB Leipzig CL(R16-1)	20.00								
	Sat 22	A	Chelsea	12.30								
March	Sun 01	H	Wolverhampton W	14.00								
			FAC (R5)									
	Sat 07	A	Burnley	17.30								
	Wed 10	A	RB Leipzig CL (R16-2)	20.00								
	Sun 15	H	Manchester United	16.30								
	Fri 20	H	West Ham United/FAC (QF)	20.00								
April	Sat 04	A	Sheffield United	15.00								
			CL (QF1)									
	Sat 11	H	Everton	15.00								
			CL (QF2)									
	Sat 18	A	AFC Bournemouth/FAC (SF)	15.00								
	Sat 25	H	Arsenal	15.00								
May			CL (SF1)									
	Sat 02	A	Newcastle United	15.00								
			CL (SF2)									
	Sat 09	H	Leicester City	15.00								
	Sun 17	A	Crystal Palace	15.00								
	Sun 23	N	FAC (Final)									
	Sat 30	N	CL (Final)									

HONOURS

FOOTBALL LEAGUE:
1950/51, 1960/61

FOOTBALL LEAGUE CUP:
1971, 1973, 1999, 2008

UEFA CUP:
1972, 1984

CHARITY SHIELD:
1920/21, 1951/52, 1961/62, 1962/63, 1967/68 (joint), 1981/82(joint), 1991/92(joint)

FA CUP:
1901, 1921, 1961, 1962, 1967, 1981, 1982, 1991

EUROPEAN CUP WINNERS' CUP:
1963

FOOTBALL LEAGUE DIVISION TWO:
1919/20, 1949/50

CHAMPIONS LEAGUE | CARABAO CUP | FA CUP | 1ST SUB | 2ND SUB | 3RD SUB | YELLOW CARD | RED CARD | SCORER: **BOLD** | * = PENALTIES

				SUBSTITUTES						
SISSOKO	LAMELA	LUCAS	**KANE 2**	GAZZANIGA	AURIER	DIER	WANYAMA	SKIPP	ERIKSEN	NKOUDOU
SISSOKO	**LAMELA 1**	ERIKSEN	KANE	GAZZANIGA	DAVIES	VERTONGHEN	DIER	SKIPP	LO CELSO	**LUCAS 1**
LUCAS	LAMELA	SON	KANE	GAZZANIGA	DAVIES	VERTONGHEN	DIER	SKIPP	ERIKSEN	LO CELSO
ERIKSEN 1	LAMELA	SON	**KANE 1P**	GAZZANIGA	AURIER	DAVIES	SKIPP	DELE	LO CELSO	LUCAS
LAMELA 1	ERIKSEN	**SON 2**	KANE	GAZZANIGA	DIER	DAVIES	WANYAMA	NDOMBELE	DELE	LUCAS
DELE	ERIKSEN	**LUCAS 1**	**KANE 1P**	GAZZANIGA	DIER	WALKER-PETERS	WANYAMA	SISSOKO	LAMELA	SON
NDOMBELE	LAMELA	SON	**KANE 1**	WHITEMAN	DAVIES	DIER	WANYAMA	SKIPP	ERIKSEN	LUCAS
SKIPP	DELE	PARROTT	LUCAS	LLORIS	FOYTH	VERTONGHEN	SISSOKO	LAMELA	ERIKSEN	SON
ERIKSEN	SISSOKO	SON	**KANE 1**	GAZZANIGA	DAVIES	DIER	WANYAMA	LAMELA	DELE	LUCAS
NDOMBELE	DELE	**SON 1**	**KANE 1P**	GAZZANIGA	SANCHEZ	DAVIES	DIER	ERIKSEN	LAMELA	LUCAS
ERIKSEN	LAMELA	SON	KANE	GAZZANIGA	FOYTH	SANCHEZ	WINKS	SKIPP	LUCAS	DELE
SISSOKO	**DELE 1**	LUCAS	KANE	AUSTIN	FOYTH	DAVIES	DIER	NDOMBELE	LAMELA	SON
DELE	**LAMELA 1**	**SON 2**	**KANE 2**	AUSTIN	FOYTH	DIER	WINKS	ERIKSEN	LO CELSO	LUCAS
DELE	ERIKSEN	SON	**KANE 1**	AUSTIN	DAVIES	VERTONGHEN	DIER	NDOMBELE	LO CELSO	LUCAS
DELE 1	ERIKSEN	SON	LUCAS	VORM	FOYTH	DIER	SESSEGNON	WINKS	LO CELSO	PARROTT
DELE	**LO CELSO 1**	**SON 2**	KANE	VORM	DAVIES	ALDERWEIRELD	SESSEGNON	SKIPP	**ERIKSEN 1**	LUCAS
DELE	LO CELSO	**SON 1**	KANE	VORM	FOYTH	ALDERWEIRELD	WINKS	SESSEGNON	ERIKSEN	LUCAS
DELE	**LUCAS 1**	**SON 1**	**KANE 1**	AUSTIN	WALKER-PETERS	FOYTH	ROSE	SISSOKO	ERIKSEN	LO CELSO
DELE 1	LUCAS	SON	**KANE 2**	WHITEMAN	VERTONGHEN	SISSOKO	SESSEGNON	NDOMBELE	ERIKSEN	LO CELSO
SISSOKO 1	**DELE 2**	SON	KANE	WHITEMAN	WALKER-PETERS	ROSE	WINKS	ERIKSEN	LO CELSO	LUCAS
DELE 1	SON	LUCAS	KANE	AUSTIN	FOYTH	ROSE	DIER	NDOMBELE	LO CELSO	ERIKSEN
DELE	**SON 1**	**LUCAS 1**	**KANE 2**	WHITEMAN	ROSE	SESSEGNON	SKIPP	ERIKSEN	LO CELSO	PARROTT
LO CELSO	ERIKSEN	**SESSEGNON 1**	LUCAS	AUSTIN	SANCHEZ	TANGANGA	WANYAMA	SKIPP	SON	PARROTT
LUCAS 1	DELE	SON	KANE	WHITEMAN	FOYTH	SKIPP	SESSEGNON	WINKS	ERIKSEN	LO CELSO
DELE	LUCAS	SON	KANE	VORM	ROSE	FOYTH	NDOMBELE	WINKS	ERIKSEN	LO CELSO
DELE 1	LUCAS	SESSEGNON	**KANE 1**	VORM	FOYTH	DIER	TANGANGA	ERIKSEN	LAMELA	LO CELSO
DELE	**ERIKSEN 1**	LO CELSO	**KANE 1P**	VORM	SANCHEZ	DIER	TANGANGA	SKIPP	LAMELA	LUCAS
DELE	ERIKSEN	LUCAS	KANE	VORM	SANCHEZ	TANGANGA	SKIPP	WINKS	LAMELA	LO CELSO
DELE	ERIKSEN	**LUCAS 1**	SON	VORM	SANCHEZ	TANGANGA	SKIPP	LO CELSO	LAMELA	PARROTT
DELE	ERIKSEN	LUCAS	SON	VORM	VERTONGHEN	DIER	SKIPP	SESSEGNON	LAMELA	LO CELSO
LO CELSO	ERIKSEN	LAMELA	LUCAS	VORM	AURIER	FOYTH	SKIPP	CIRKIN	DELE	SON
DELE	LAMELA	LUCAS	SON	VORM	SANCHEZ	DIER	SKIPP	SESSEGNON	FERNANDES	ERIKSEN
DELE 1	LAMELA	LUCAS	**SON 1**	GAZZANIGA	SANCHEZ	TANGANGA	DIER	NDOMBELE	FERNANDES	ERIKSEN
DELE	LO CELSO	LUCAS	**SON 1**	GAZZANIGA	VERTONGHEN	FOYTH	DIER	SESSEGNON	NDOMBELE	LAMELA

SPURS RESPECTS

We are justly proud of our superb and loyal support, home and away. We all have a responsibility to act as ambassadors of Tottenham Hotspur Football Club. And act as considerate neighbours to those who live and work in the area around the stadium.
If you witness any form of anti-social abusive or discriminatory behaviour, homophobic language, crime, vandalism, violence, the use of smoke bombs or pyrotechnics close to you at any of our matches, please send a text to 07537 404821 along with your location (block/row/seat) and the location of the offence (block/row/seat).
Text 07537 404821 with – FOUL (language and behaviour); RACISM (racist chanting & shouting); HPH (homophobic chanting); DRINK (drinking alcohol in view of the pitch); SMOKE (smoking in the stadium); STAND (standing up); PYRO (use of or intended use of any pyrotechnics or smoke bomb).

SMOKING

There is no smoking or use of e-cigarettes permitted anywhere across the stadium campus.

PLEASE REMAIN SEATED

Please remain in your seats during play to ensure that the view is not obstructed for other spectators.

EMERGENCY EVACUATION

In the unlikely event that we should have to evacuate the stadium, please adhere to the advice given by front line staff and on our public address system.

FORTHCOMING FIXTURES

SOUTHAMPTON

Emirates FA Cup
4th Round Replay
Tottenham Hotspur Stadium
Wednesday 5 February
Kick-off: TBC

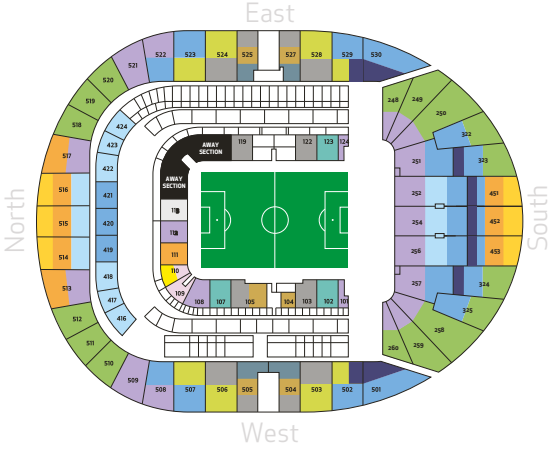
Prices in all areas:
Adults: £25

Junior Under-18: £15
Senior Over-65: £20
Young Adult 18-21: £20
Family package
(two adults, two Junior U18):
£50

Tickets are now on general sale.

Ticketing Points: 3

Tottenham Hotspur Stadium | Match Ticket Prices



Category B

	Adult	Senior	Young Adult	Junior
109, 110	£43	£22	£32.50	£22
451 - 453, 514 - 516	£47	£24	£35.50	£24
110	£48	£24	£36	£24
111, 451 - 453, 513 - 517	£50	£25	£37.50	£25
113	£50	£25	£37.50	£25
248 - 250, 258 - 260, 322 - 325, 516-521, 528-530	£52	£26	£39	£26
101, 108, 112, 134, 248 - 252, 254, 256 - 260, 508, 509, 513, 517, 521, 522	£55	£28	£41.50	£28
252, 254, 256, 416 - 418, 422 - 424, 514 - 516	£60	£30	£45	£30
251, 252, 254, 256, 257, 322 - 325, 413 - 421, 451 - 453, 501, 502, 507, 508, 522, 523, 529, 530	£65	n/a	n/a	n/a
102, 107, 123	£68	n/a	n/a	n/a
502, 503, 506, 507, 523, 524, 528, 529	£72	n/a	n/a	n/a
103, 105, 113, 132, 503 - 506, 524, 525, 527, 528	£80	n/a	n/a	n/a
104, 105, 504, 505, 525, 527	£95	n/a	n/a	n/a
504, 505, 525, 527	*No Match Ticket Availability*			
323, 324, 451, 453, 501, 502, 523, 530	*No Match Ticket Availability*			

Eligibility for Concessionary priced Match Tickets

Senior	Over 65 years old	Aged 65 years or over on 10 August 2019
Young Adult	Under 22 years old	Aged 21 years or younger on 10 August 2019
Junior	Under 18 years old	Aged 17 years or younger on 10 August 2019

Prices above are for Category B matches. For all ticket prices and any further information, please visit **www.tottenhamhotspur.com/tickets/** or download the Official Spurs App.

OPPONENT	PROVISIONAL MATCH DATE	MATCH CATEGORY	SALES PHASE	PROPOSED ON SALE DATE
Wolves	Sunday, March 01, 2020	B	5	
Manchester United	Saturday, March 14, 2020	A	6	27 and 28 January
West Ham United	Saturday, March 21, 2020	B	6	
Everton	Saturday, April 11, 2020	B	7	
Arsenal	Saturday, April 25, 2020	A	7	9 and 10 March
Leicester City	Saturday, May 09, 2020	B	7	

Ticket Office

ASTON VILLA

Premier League
Villa Park
Sunday 16 February
Kick-Off: 2pm

Allocation: 3,012
Prices:
Adults: £30
Seniors Over-65: £26
Under-21: £20
Under-18: £14

Tickets marked 'Restricted View' carry a discount of £1

Season Ticket Holders with a current total of 372 or more ticketing points who applied by the deadline have been successful and will be issued with a 'Clear View' ticket.

Season Ticket Holders with a current total of 362 or more ticketing points who applied by the deadline have been successful and will be issued with a 'Restricted View' ticket.

All applicants will receive an email shortly informing them as to whether they were successful or not in obtaining a ticket for this fixture, along with their accurate ticketing points total as of the application closing date.

Ticketing Points: 4

RB LEIPZIG

UEFA Champions League
Tottenham Hotspur Stadium
Wednesday 19 February
Kick-Off: 8pm

Tickets for this fixture will be priced at Category B

Season Ticket Holders registered on our Automatic Cup Scheme had the payments taken from the card details they have stored with us on **Thursday 16 January.**

Tickets are on sale to One Hotspur Members who have yet to purchase.

Ticketing Points: 3

CHELSEA

Premier League
Stamford Bridge
Saturday 22 February
Kick-Off: 12:30 pm

Allocation: 2,992
Prices:
Adults: £30
Seniors Over-65: £25
Under-20: £25

The deadline for applications has now passed. Supporters are advised to monitor the club website for an announcement on successful applications.

In the event that tickets are oversubscribed for this match, they will be allocated in line with the Club's ticketing points scheme.

Ticketing Points: 1

WOLVES

Premier League
Tottenham Hotspur Stadium
Sunday 1 March
Kick-Off: 2pm

Tickets for this fixture have sold out.

One Hotspur Members are reminded to monitor the website for tickets being made available via ticket exchange platform.

This fixture is a Category B ticket pricing. **All tickets are subject to availability**

Ticketing Points: 3

RB LEIPZIG

UEFA Champions League
Red Bull Arena Leipzig
Tuesday 10 March
Kick-Off: 8pm (UK time)

Allocation: 2,231
Prices:
Adults: £51.50

Season Ticket Holders with a current total of 392 or more ticketing points who applied by the deadline have been successful and will be issued a ticket.

All applicants will receive an email shortly informing them as to whether they were successful or not in obtaining a ticket for this fixture, along with their accurate ticketing points total as of the application closing date.

Ticketing Points: 5

Continuing our Q&A feature for this season – using the year of the Club's formation as inspiration – as we ask our players to choose 18 lifestyle questions from a selection of 82. Today, Toby Alderweireld is in the hotseat.

1. What would you sing at karaoke?
Toby: "Fast Car by Tracy Chapman. It's not that difficult a song, not too many high parts and I know the lyrics."

2. You have a rare day off – what is your perfect day?
Toby: "I would wake up with my wife and my daughter. Catch a movie in the day with them and then I would have a night out with my friends. With films, I'm quite open. I like them to have a crazy end, an unexpected one. A movie that stays in your head for a while."

3. When was the last time you cried?
Toby: "A difficult one. A deep question. Maybe not crying but very emotionally, was the birth of my daughter."

4. Did you ever appear in a school play? If so, which character did you play?
Toby: "Yeah, but at school we had to create our own story and then act that out on a night in front of parents. That was a big thing when I was young, and I actually really enjoyed it."

5. Which superhero do you wish actually existed?
Toby: "I think everyone wants to fly and be strong like Superman. I think if I could choose my strengths, I would always go for the brain. I would always choose knowledge, to know everything.

6. How has becoming a father changed you?
Toby: "I think It has brought the best out of me because I think from the moment she was born, she has been the thing I have cared about most. Other things of course are still important but whatever happens, if she's happy, I'm happy. It's a strange change. I'm not a selfish guy but, if there was any amount of selfishness in me, that's gone. It's changed how I see things and what's most important."

7. Who has been the biggest influence on your career?
Toby: "The people who said I wouldn't make it."

8. How do you like your eggs?
Toby: "Scrambled."

9. What is your most used Whatsapp group?
Toby: "With my wife probably, because I'm away a lot, we text a lot. I. think people find it crazy how much we text. We talk all the time."

10. What story of your life would you like to tell your grandchildren?
Toby: "I think they would probably want to hear about football, but I think I want to tell them that if you want to achieve something in life, there is a lot of sacrifice. If you have success, everyone sees the positives but the road to it, I want to explain that it is not easy. If you want something, you have to work hard for it, but everything is possible."

11. Beach holiday or city break?
Toby: "City break… to Belgium, because Antwerp is a good city. Anyone that is looking for a very good city that is not as expensive as the likes of Rome and Paris – Antwerp is very, very good. Especially from the UK, it's not that difficult to get there."

12. Have you ever had a job outside of football?
Toby: "No, but when I was at school in Amsterdam, I completed work experience at my old school in Antwerp as a PE teacher. I did two weeks of teaching and had to write an essay on my time there."

13. What was your favourite TV programme as a child?
Toby: "It was a Sunday night series in Belgium. Everyone was waiting for it each week. It was called Flikken and was about police officers in Belgium."

14. What is the most important lesson that life has taught you?
Toby: "It's not a lesson that I've necessarily learned yet but one that I want to learn and that is to enjoy every moment. I always want to perform but maybe I don't enjoy the moment to its fullest. Of course, I want to be good and perfect but having seen what's happened with Kobe Bryant, you take a step back and think it could be over at any second. I am always looking at the future but maybe I should be looking at today and enjoy life a little bit more.

15. Have you ever thought 'I wish I was somewhere else'?
Toby: "Yeah, a lot of times. Especially when I was younger and in Amsterdam, I wished I was at home, seeing my friends and my family. I know after my career I will go back there but I want to get everything out of my career. Sometimes it can be tough like after losing a game, I wish I was with my family, or even at Christmas. It's been 16 years away from home so of course I miss it."

16. What do you remember about your Spurs debut?
Toby: "Manchester United away. We lost unfortunately by an own goal. I thought I had a good game though and a solid base from day one. Of course, unhappy with the result but happy with my performance."

17. What is your favourite journey?
Toby: "I love the journeys home. Just thinking about getting home and seeing my family and friends, I get excited. If I have two hours on the train, it is always a very slow two hours, I just can't wait to get home."

18. If you could change one thing about yourself, what would that be?
Toby: "I wish I could say no sometimes without feeling bad. I always try to help people out. If I say no to something, I'll get home, feel bad and can't enjoy myself."

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